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Town Officers

Moderator,
FREDERIC A. CHARLES.

Selectmen,
CLARENCE GETCHELL, FRANK H. WADLEIGH,
FRED L. COLCORD.

Treasurer,
RICHARD E. SHUTE.

Town Clerk,
FRED S. FELLOWES.

Highway Agent,
C. CHARLES HAYES.

Tax Collector,
LEWIS S. SWAIN.

Supervisors of Check List,
ROBERT SCOTT, ERNEST G. TEMPLETON,
ARTHUR T. COBB.

Auditors,
ALBERT N. DOW, HARRY MERRILL.

School Board,
EDWARD GREEN, FRANCES E. SMITH,
ALBERTUS T. DUDLEY.

Library Committee,
JAMES A. TUFTS, HARRY MERRILL,
ALBERT J. WEEKS, HARRY E. WALKER,
ARTHUR O. FULLER, FRANK M. CILLEY,
CHARLES E. ATWOOD, WILLARD I. ROWE,
ROBERT SCOTT.

Librarian,
CARRIE W. BYINGTON.

Health Officer,
WILLIAM H. NUTE.

Engineers,
GEORGE H. CARTER, GEORGE F. ADAMS,
ALBERT S. WILLEY.

Police Commission,
ARTHUR O. FULLER, JOHN H. ELKINS,
JOHN SCAMMON.

Police Justice,
HENRY A. SHUTE.

Police Officers,
ELVYN A. BUNKER, *Chief,* JOHN HOWE,
ALBERT L. COLSON, LEROY G. HERSEY.

Town Warrant

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Exeter, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet in the Town Hall, in said town, on the second Tuesday of March next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon to act upon the following subjects:

1st. To choose by ballot and major vote a town clerk.

2nd. To choose by ballot and major vote three selectmen.

3rd. To choose by ballot and major vote one trustee of the Robinson Female Seminary for the term of seven years.

4th. To choose by ballot and major vote one trustee of the trust funds held by the town of Exeter, to hold office for three years.

5th. To choose all other necessary town officers, auditors or committees for the ensuing year.

6th. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary for the maintenance of the poor, for repairing highways, for repairing and building bridges, for repairing and building sidewalks, for building drains and sewers, for oiling the streets, for payment of the town debt, for lighting the streets, for defraying the expenses of decorating the graves of Union soldiers, for preventing the spread of insect pests within the town, and for other charges arising within the town, and for the payment of the firemen for the ensuing year.

7th. To hear the reports of committees heretofore chosen and pass any vote relating thereto.

8th. To see what sum of money the town will raise and appropriate for the use of the Robinson Female Seminary during the coming year.

9th. On petition of A. E. McReel and fourteen others: To see what sum of money the town will raise and appropriate for the support of band concerts.

10th. On petition of Fred G. Carter and thirteen others: To see if the selectmen and highway agent be authorized to hire some one to have charge of the town dump and keep it in passable condition for teams to dump refuse thereon.

Given under our hands and seal this twenty-first day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and twenty.

CLARENCE GETCHELL,
FRANK H. WADLEIGH,
FRED L. COLCORD,
Selectmen of Exeter.

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

CLARENCE GETCHELL,
FRANK H. WADLEIGH,
FRED L. COLCORD,
Selectmen of Exeter.

Valuation and Appropriations

Valuation

Lands and buildings	$3,272,300.00
Horses, 257	32,160.00
Asses and mules, 3	300.00
Cows, 308	21,150.00
Other neat stock, 42	1,660.00
Sheep, 40	640.00
Hogs, 4	80.00
Fowls, 235	280.00
Vehicles and automobiles, 351	137,230.00
Portable mills, 1	150.00
Boats and launches, 7	3,530.00
Wood, lumber, etc.	1,410.00
Municipal bonds and notes	38,230.00
Stock in national banks in this state	4,300.00
Money on hand, at interest, or on deposit	519,820.00
Stock in trade	578,700.00
Mills and machinery	176,960.00
Polls, 1,012; poll taxes, $3,036	
	$4,788,900.00

Amount of taxes committed to collector, including poll taxes, $117,969.60

Average rate per cent. of taxation for all purposes, $24 per $1000

Amount exempted to soldiers, $17,820.00

Appropriations

State tax	$19,764.00	
State tax, recognition war service	4,392.00	
County tax	14,084.33	
County tax, additional	155.47	
Payment town bonds	2,000.00	
Interest on town debt	2,800.00	
Water works	4,170.00	
Fire department	6,500.00	
Highways, bridges and streets	13,200.00	
Trunk Line construction, Hampton Road	2,500.00	
Permanent improvement highways	1,800.00	
Maintenance South Side Road	1,175.00	
Preventing spread of insect pests	300.00	
Support of poor	1,000.00	
Public library	2,500.00	
Decorating graves	150.00	
Lighting streets	5,500.00	
Police and constables	4,000.00	
Salaries town officers	4,300.00	
Board of health	500.00	
Miscellaneous	1,000.00	
Oil for streets	3,000.00	
White pine rust	250.00	
Expenses and upkeep Robinson Female Seminary	4,000.00	
Celebration return soldiers and sailors	1,500.00	
Repairs old town hall	500.00	
		$101,040.80
Appropriated at annual meeting of School District:		
Required by law	$18,056.00	
In addition	10,799.00	
Salaries district officers	470.00	
Flags	25.00	
Medical inspection	500.00	
Insurance	150.00	
		$30,000.00
Total appropriations		$131,040.80

Selectmen's Report

Dr.

1919			
Mar.	1,	Use of Town Hall for February . .	$28.60
		Burial expenses of Charles H. Davis	30.00
Apr.	1,	Redemption of tickets from Boston and Maine	6.67
	30,	Jeremiah Smith fund for care of lot in old cemetery	300.00
May	3,	Use of Town Hall for April	20.60
		Town of Kingston, use of chemical	21.00
June	3,	Use of Town Hall for May	34.55
July	8,	Use of Town Hall for June	10.40
		Sale of old lumber	2.00
Sept.	13,	Damage to traffic signs	1.00
	23,	Circus license	5.00
	30,	Use of Town Hall for September .	6.90
Nov.	1,	Use of Town Hall for October . . .	22.72
	29,	Rebate on insurance	41.25
	30,	Use of Town Hall for November .	24.52
Dec.	6,	Town of Epping, forest fire	25.00
	16,	Town of Epping, forest fire	35.00
1920			
Jan.	2,	Use of Town Hall for December .	28.80
	31,	Use of Town Hall for January . . .	5.42
		Rent of Town Hall to sanitary corps	50.00
Feb.	1,	Milk licenses, 1919	36.00
			$735.43

Cr.

Paid town treasurer at various times	$435.43
Paid Frank Taylor, treasurer of town trust funds	$300.00
	$735.43

CLARENCE GETCHELL,
FRANK H. WADLEIGH,
FRED L. COLCORD,
Selectmen.

Auditors' Report

We find the foregoing account correctly cast and properly vouched.

February 13, 1920.

ALBERT N. DOW,
HARRY MERRILL,
Auditors.

Schedule of Town Property

Town Hall, land and buildings	$50,000.00
Town Hall, furniture and equipment	1,000.00
Libraries, land and buildings	15,000.00
Libraries, furniture and equipment	6,500.00
Fire department, land and buildings	18,000.00
Fire department, equipment	9,500.00
Highway department, land and buildings	2,000.00
Highway department, equipment	7,500.00
Parks, commons and playgrounds	2,500.00
	$112,000.00

Recommendations

The committee appointed to recommend what sums of money should be provided for the expenditures of the town for the year 1920-1921 have attended to that duty, and recommend the following sums:

State tax	$24,156.00
County tax	14,239.80
Payment of town bonds	2,000.00
Interest on town debt	2,800.00
Water Works	4,170.00
Fire department	7,000.00
Highways, bridges and streets	14,606.00
Maintenance Southside Road	1,300.00
Preventing spread of insect pests	600.00
Support of poor	1,000.00
Public Library	3,000.00
Aid, Robinson Female Seminary	8,000.00
Decorating soldiers' graves	150.00
Lighting streets	5,800.00
Police and constables	5,000.00
Salaries of town officers	4,850.00
Board of Health	500.00
Miscellaneous	1,000.00
Oil for streets	3,000.00
Permanent improvement main highways	2,394.00
	$105,565.80

It is expected that the schools will call for $35,000 this year, which will increase the estimate to $140,565.80.

CLARENCE GETCHELL.
JOHN M. WADLEIGH.
JAMES A. TUFTS.
DANA W. BAKER.
ERNEST G. TEMPLETON.
WENDELL B. FOLSOM.
JOHN H. ELKINS.
ALBERT N. DOW.
LUKE LEIGHTON.

Treasurer's Report

For Year 1919–1920

Dr.

Taxes for 1919	$118,197.24	
Outstanding taxes, 1918	6,053.80	
Received through selectmen	435.43	
town clerk	1,791.82	
interest on taxes	205.15	
state, insurance tax	272.81	
railroad tax	6,610.76	
savings bank tax	5,353.98	
Municipal court	1,318.40	
Cash on hand January 31, 1919	31,924.10	
		$172,163.49

Cr.

Payments as per summary	$131,270.17	
Outstanding taxes	5,721.92	
Cash on hand, January 31, 1920	35,171.40	
		$172,163.49

RICHARD E. SHUTE, *Town Treasurer.*

Auditors' Report

Exeter, N. H., February 13, 1920.

We have examined the treasurer's report and find it correctly cast and properly vouched, and a balance in his hand of thirty-five thousand, one hundred seventy-one and 40-100 dollars ($35,171.40).

ALBERT N. DOW,
HARRY MERRILL,
Auditors.

Expenditures in Detail

Paid Street Improvement bond, due March 1, 1919	$1,000.00	
Seminary bond, due January 1, 1920	1,000.00	
		$2,000.00
Appropriation		2,000.00
Paid coupons on Street Improvement bonds at 4%	$1,385.00	
Coupons on Seminary bonds at 1%	790.00	
Balance	625.00	
		$2,800.00
Appropriation		2,800.00

County Tax

Paid Stewart E. Rowe, treasurer, annual tax	$14,084.33	
Stewart E. Rowe, treas., proportion Bureau tax	155.47	
		$14,239.80
Appropriation	$9,084.33	
From miscellaneous fund as per vote at March meeting, 1919	5,000.00	
miscellaneous fund for proportion Farm Bureau tax	155.47	
		$14,239.80

State Tax

Paid John W. Plummer, treasurer		$24,156.00
Received from state, insurance tax	$272.81	
railroad tax	6,610.76	
savings bank tax	5,353.98	
From miscellaneous fund	11,918.45	
		$24,156.00

Support of Schools

Paid Fred A. Moore, treasurer, balance on appropriation 1918	$11,450.00	
Fred A. Moore, treasurer, on account appropriation, 1919	16,050.00	
Balance, due August 31, 1920	14,324.85	
		$41,824.85
Appropriation, 1919	$30,000.00	
Balance due, Aug. 31, 1919, from previous account	11,450.00	
Balance, dog licenses, 1919	374.85	
		$41,824.85

Summary

By Chap. 122, Laws of 1917, the fiscal year of town and special school districts ends August 31. The fiscal year of towns ends January 31. At the close of the town account of 1919 there remained a balance due schools of	$11,450.00	
the school appropriation for 1919	30,000.00	
Balance dog licenses, 1918	374.85	
		$41,824.85
Paid Fred A. Moore, treasurer		27,500.00
Balance to August 31, 1920		$14,324.85

Support of Poor

Paid W. P. Bartlett & Co., supplies	$453.00
C. C. Russell, supplies	327.74
J. L. Rivard, supplies	165.00
S. J. Colcord, fuel	31.25
A. H. Gray, fuel	4.25
Mrs. Martha Sanborn, rent	96.00
Mrs. Lora Collishaw, rent	21.00
Joseph T. Gilman, rent	36.00

Paid Elizabeth H. Gilman, rent	$36.00	
State Hospital, board	5.76	
F. L. Junkins, burial expenses	30.00	
		$1,206.00
Appropriation	$1,000.00	
From miscellaneous fund	206.00	
		1,206.00

Soldiers' Aid

Paid S. W. Langley, supplies		$101.34
From miscellaneous fund		101.34

Exeter Water Works

Paid hydrant rental	$3,480.00	
public fountains	249.28	
flushing sewers	423.60	
public buildings	100.50	
		$4,253.38
Appropriation	$4,170.00	
From miscellaneous fund	83.38	
		$4,253.38

Street Lighting

Paid Exeter & Hampton Electric Co.		$5,858.77
Appropriation	$5,500.00	
From miscellaneous fund	358.77	
		$5,858.77

Public Library

Paid Harry E. Walker, treasurer	$2,500.00
Appropriation	2,500.00

Municipal Court

Paid Henry A. Shute, justice	$300.00	
Ernest G. Templeton, defense of minor	5.00	
Balance	1,013.40	
		$1,318.40
Received from fines		1,318.40

Town Hall

Paid A. E. McReel Co., fuel	$460.00	
Exeter Coal Co., Inc., fuel	289.50	
S. J. Colcord, fuel	6.00	
Fred G. Carter, fuel	2.00	
E. & H. Elec. Co.	124.67	
Exeter Gas Light Co.	45.48	
C. E. Robinson, sawdust	5.00	
George H. Leavitt, cleaning windows.	11.45	
Frank G. Peavey, repairs	31.85	
H. N. Welsh, repairs	7.70	
C. F. Fifield, repairs	4.65	
John W. Hale, janitor	4.10	
John W. Hale, cutting grass	1.50	
Hilliard & Kimball, supplies	116.78	
Weeks & Seward, supplies	9.25	
C. C. Russell, supplies	5.35	
		$1,125.28
Received for use of Town Hall	$182.51	
From miscellaneous fund	942.77	
		$1,125.28

Highways, Bridges and Streets

Paid C. Charles Hayes, highway agent	$14,738.30	
Balance, Trunk Line construction	2,500 00	
Balance, general highway account	4,576.46	
		$21,814.76

Appropriations, highways, bridges and streets, from which $2,500 to be withheld as per state requirement	$15,700.00	
permanent improvement main highways	1,800.00	
Unexpended balance, 1918	4,314.76	
		$21,814.76

Explanatory Note

The amount of $2,500 is withheld from the appropriation for highways, bridges and streets, under arrangement with the state, which appropriated an equal amount. No trunk line construction was attempted during the past fiscal year, and this amount, while appearing in the final town balance, is not available for general highway use, but more properly constitutes a charge by the state against the town.

Sewers

Paid C. Charles Hayes, flushing sewers	$327.00	
Young & Pressey, sewer pipe	70.47	
		$397.47
From miscellaneous fund		397.47

Fire Department

Paid members of fire department for year ending Nov. 1, 1919	$3,172.98	
George H. Carter, chief engineer and fire warden	150.00	
Albert S. Willey, assistant engineer	75.00	
George F. Adams, assistant engineer	80.00	
George B. Shaw, care fire alarm	468.23	
Exeter Gas Light Co.	533.52	
E. & H. Electric Co.	121.22	

Paid N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co.	$51.78
A. M. Trefethen, hauling hose wagon	75.00
J. T. Flynn, hauling hose wagon	28.00
C. E. Robinson, hauling hose wagon	45.00
W. M. Jenkins & Co., grain	537.19
Frank H. Wadleigh, hay and straw	151.94
Est. B. L. Merrill, hay	83.00
George G. Gooch, hay	86.25
Frank G. Peavey, hay	96.53
Exeter Garage, care chemical engine and supplies	119.85
Wetherell's Garage, care chemical engine and supplies	153.55
A. E. McReel Co., fuel	146.69
Fred G. Carter, fuel	2.50
Joas Jette, laundry	26.02
B. & M. R. R., rent of land	15.00
Dr. George B. Wiggin, veterinary	23.00
Carter & McIlvene, painting hose house No. 3	32.00
Frank G. Peavey, labor	9.60
H. N. Welsh, labor	12.26
meals, brush fires	12.80
Harry Senter, fireman	41.76
Foster W. Smith, fireman	29.25
A. T. Field, fireman	10.64
George F. Lord, fireman	37.49
Joseph Kershaw, fireman	16.66
Charles Bean, fireman	25.00
D. H. Webster, fireman	33.33
Albert DeMerritt, fireman	25.00
Est. Samuel McLane, fireman	25.00
William J. Bruce, fireman	31.25
Henry Grant, fireman	33.09
J. Warren Tilton, fireman	12.00
W. E. Peters, fireman	12.00
Est. C. A. Taylor, gasoline and oil	16.99

J. R. Clarke, gasoline and oil.....	$14.45	
Woodhouse Manufacturing Co., gas masks.....	30.00	
Foster W. Smith, care furnace hose house No. 1.....	40.00	
Exeter Lumber Co., supplies.....	55.28	
Central Heating & Plumbing Co., supplies.....	52.58	
Pettengill-Andrews Co., supplies....	114.52	
Electric Storage Battery Co., supplies	110.50	
Weston Electric Co., supplies.....	32.60	
American LaFrance Fire Engine Co., supplies.....	50.00	
Holtzer-Cabot Electric Co., supplies.	6.37	
Young & Pressey, supplies.....	21.31	
James Bliss & Co., supplies.....	7.54	
Exide Battery Depot, Inc., supplies..	1.58	
E. G. O'Donnell, supplies.....	10.00	
Exeter Manufacturing Co., supplies.	3.25	
Gamewell Fire Alarm Co., supplies..	2.81	
Augustus Young, supplies.....	10.69	
Hilliard & Kimball, supplies.....	9.04	
express.....	2.47	
		$7,233.36
Appropriation.....	$6,500.00	
From Town of Epping, assistance at fires.	60.00	
Town of Kingston, use of chemical..	21.00	
Miscellaneous fund.....	652.36	
		7,233.36

Town Officers

Paid Clarence Getchell, selectman.....	$400.00
Frank H. Wadleigh, selectman.....	400.00
Fred L. Colcord, selectman.....	400.00
Richard E. Shute, treasurer.....	300.00

Paid C. Charles Hayes, highway agent....	$1,000.00	
Lewis S. Swain, tax collector, balance commission, 1918.....	612.29	
Lewis S. Swain, tax collector, account commission, 1919.....	500.00	
Fred S. Fellowes, town clerk, salary	250.00	
Fred S. Fellowes, commission pool table licenses.....	3.00	
Fred S. Fellowes, commission auto licenses.....	38.75	
Warner Hayes, milk inspector.....	25.00	
Samuel K. Bell, police commissioner .	45.87	
Arthur O. Fuller, police commissioner	50.00	
John H. Elkins, police commissioner .	50.00	
Moderator.....	25.00	
Election officers.....	40.00	
Supervisors.....	90.00	
Meals election officers.....	10.00	
James H. Batchelder, miscellaneous supplies.....	20.41	
sundry persons for writing.....	33.00	
Boston Safe Deposit & Trust Co., rent of box.....	10.00	
F. M. Cilley, bond, treasurer.....	60.00	
Baker Agency, bond, highway agent	10.00	
Elwell's Insurance Agency, bond, tax collector.....	30.00	
John A. Brown Insurance Agency, bond, trustees of trust funds.....	10.00	
travelling expenses, town officers....	12.86	
		$4,426.18
Appropriation.....	$4,300.00	
From miscellaneous fund.....	126.18	
		$4,426.18

Preventing Spread of Insect Pests

Paid George L. Harkins, payrolls and labor	$1,216.48	
George L. Harkins, travelling expenses	9.15	
Hilliard & Kimball, creosote	16.00	
C. W. H. Moulton, ladders	35.60	
		$1,277.23
Appropriation	$300.00	
From miscellaneous fund	977.23	
		$1,277.23

Oiling Streets

Paid Standard Oil Co. of New York, oil	$2,133.24	
Balance	866.76	
		$3,000.00
Appropriation		3,000.00

Damage by Dogs

Paid Andrew S. Irvine, dog officer	$40.00	
Fred S. Fellowes, commission dog licenses	40.40	
Elwell's Insurance Agency, bond, dog officer	5.00	
Balance	401.11	
		$486.51
From collection of licenses		486.51

Police

Paid Elwyn A. Bunker, chief of police	$1,284.86
John Howe, police officer	1,182.75
Albert L. Colson, police officer	1,185.00
Fred G. Goodrich, police officer	319.75
Leroy G. Hersey, police officer	889.75
Alfred J. Eno, special officer	10.00

Paid A. M. Trefethen, team and auto hire	$48.50	
Higgins Auto Co., auto hire	1.00	
George M. Lord, auto hire	1.00	
Mrs. Mary Guay, cleaning station	3.97	
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co.	107.87	
E. & H. Electric Co.	1.75	
John Templeton, printing	12.00	
Traffic Sign & Signal Co., traffic signs	14.85	
Henry A. Day, supplies	40.26	
Hilliard & Kimball, supplies	13.89	
James H. Tattersall, supplies	5.90	
Charles C. Russell, supplies	2.20	
George B. Shaw, supplies	10.00	
E. B. Kinne, supplies	5.45	
A. M. Vroom, supplies	2.75	
Weeks & Seward, supplies	1.00	
Harding Uniform & Regalia Co., supplies	1 11	
Sam Banker, supplies	1.85	
Z. London, supplies	.65	
A. E. & W. Hayes, supplies	1.10	
		$5,149.21
Appropriation	$4,000.00	
From damage to traffic sign	1.00	
Miscellaneous fund	1,148.21	
		$5,149.21

Board of Health

Paid Dr. W. H. Nute, health officer	$225.00	
Balance	225.00	
		$500.00
Appropriation		500.00

Decorating Soldiers' Graves

Paid Moses N. Collins Post, G. A. R.	$150.00
Appropriation	150.00

Special Appropriations

Expenses and Upkeep Robinson Female Seminary

Paid Ernest G. Templeton, treasurer	$4,000.00
Appropriation	4,000.00

White Pine Blister Rust

Paid E. C. Hirst, state forester	$250.00
Appropriation	250.00

Celebration Returned Soldiers and Sailors

Paid Newmarket Band	$135.00	
Portsmouth Fife & Drum Corps	41.00	
Exeter Brass Band	100.00	
A. W. Simpson, clambake	427.50	
John Templeton, printing	26.05	
Alfred Conner, tonic and supplies	20.75	
Poggio & Gaiero, tonic and supplies	16.50	
S. J. Colcord, wood	9.50	
T. A. Fenton, carpenter	27.35	
Fred G. Carter, trucking	8.00	
John W. Hale, janitor	4.00	
Weeks & Seward, supplies	154.22	
A. E. McReel, expenses	41.70	
		$1,011.57

Repairing Legion Headquarters

Paid Carter & McIlvene, painting	$156.76
Exeter Lumber Co., lumber	64.25
Wm. Manix, repairing pool table	22.30
T. A. Fenton, labor	57.60
Frank G. Peavey, labor	14.40

Paid Margeson Bros., furniture	$166.50	
Young & Pressey, supplies	5.24	
A. E. McReel, balance appropriation.	1.38	
		$488.43
		$1,500.00
Appropriation		1,500.00

Repairs Old Town Hall Building

Paid Carter & McIlvene, painting	$173.50	
Exeter Lumber Co., lumber	89.01	
Frank G. Peavey, labor	233.25	
Augustus Young, supplies	61.70	
Young & Pressey, supplies	115.33	
Hilliard & Kimball, supplies	92.57	
		$765.36
Appropriation	$500.00	
From miscellaneous fund	265.36	
		$765.36

Miscellaneous

Paid John Templeton, printing town reports	$183.60
John Templeton, stamped envelopes	12.25
Postmaster, envelopes	13.34
Granville B. Rollins, ringing town bell	99.96
John W. Hale, care Swasey pavilion.	66.64
John W. A. Green, searching records.	10.00
A. E. McReel, appraiser E. & H. Railway	100.00
Peter Kenick, cutting grass on common	10.00
Walter S. Sargent, cutting grass on old cemetery	18.00
Walter S. Beardslee, care town clock.	60.00
Scammon & Gardner, town counsel.	80.22
H. N. Welsh, repairs watering trough.	29.38
Dr. W. H. Nute, issuing child labor certificates	11.50

Paid A. M. Trefethen, teams	$8.00	
Dr. W. H. Nute, reporting births and deaths	10.75	
Baker Agency, insurance	264.00	
Anne Shute Johnson, insurance	120.50	
F. M. Cilley, insurance	78.45	
John A. Brown Insurance Agency, insurance	50.62	
Ellwell's Insurance Agency, bond Seminary treasurer	125.00	
Central Heating & Plumbing Co., labor, public closet	.80	
Exeter Lumber Co., lumber, town hall common	162.19	
Augustus Young, settees, town hall common	210.00	
Irving W. Brown, cement work, town hall common	145.23	
Frank G. Peavey, labor, town hall common	25.60	
G. W. & C. A. Lane, supplies	37.08	
E. & H. Electric Co., supplies	4.56	
Augustus Young, supplies	9.35	
Exeter Lumber Co., supplies	5.45	
Max Cohen, supplies	5.00	
		$1,957.47
Appropriation	$1,000.00	
From B. & M. R. R., redemption of mileage	6.67	
sale of old lumber	2.00	
circus license	5.00	
rebate on insurance	41.25	
milk licenses	36.00	
miscellaneous fund	866.55	
		$1,957.47

Maintenance State Highway

Paid Joseph Fortier, patrolman	$792.00	
Lester E. Williams, gravel	6.70	
Ernest N. Gilman, gravel	3.08	
Highway department	234.70	
Balance	396.20	
		$1,432.68
Appropriation	$1,175.00	
From unexpended balance, 1918	257.68	
		$1,432.68

Explanatory Note

At the end of the last fiscal year the state had an unexpended balance of $259.66, and the town of $378.20. Both state and town appropriated $1,175.00 for 1919. The state has paid bills amounting to $910.33, leaving an unexpended balance of $524.33. The town has paid bills amounting to $1,036.48, leaving an unexpended balance of $396.20.

Summary

Dr.

Cash on hand January 31, 1919		$31,924.10
Received through selectmen		435.43
	town clerk, auto licenses	1,139.77
	town clerk, dog licenses	486.51
	town clerk, pool table licenses	165.54
	tax collector, 1918	6,053.80
	tax collector, 1919	112,475.32
	interest on taxes	205.15
	state, insurance tax	272.81
	railroad tax	6,610.76
	savings bank tax	5,353.98
	municipal court	1,318.40
		$166,441.57

Cr.

Paid poor	$1,206.00
fire department	7,233.36
police	5,152.69
highways	14,738.30
schools	27,500.00
miscellaneous	1,957.47
street lighting	5,858.77
town hall	1,125.28
sewers	397.47
library	2,500.00
coupons	2,175.00
board of health	225.00
abatements	521.42
Exeter Water Works	4,253.38
town officers	4,426.18
bonds	2,000.00
damage by dogs	85.40
state tax	24,156.00
county tax	14,239.80
soldiers' aid	101.34

Paid municipal court	$305.00	
special appropriations	6,515.36	
decorating soldiers' graves	150.00	
maintenance state highway	1,036.48	
oiling streets	2,133.24	
preventing spread of insect pests	1,277.23	
Cash on hand	35,171.40	
		$166,441.57

Explanatory Note

As shown in this report under school, highway, state highway and damage by dogs departments, a considerable portion of the cash on hand will not be available for general use in 1920.

Of this balance, amounting to		$35,171.40
Due school treasurer, by August 31, 1920	$14,324.85	
school treasurer, balance dog licenses, 1919	401.11	
state, for trunk line construction	2,500.00	
state, for maintenance state highway	396.20	
highway agent, highways, bridges and streets	4,576.46	
		$22,198.62
Balance available for current expenses		$12,972.88

Auditors' Report

EXETER, N. H., February 13, 1920.

We have examined the foregoing account of the town treasurer and find it correct, the cash on hand or on deposit being thirty-five thousand, one hundred seventy-one and 40-100 dollars ($35,171.40).

ALBERT N. DOW,
HARRY MERRILL,
Auditors.

Town Indebtedness

Schedule of Liabilities, January 31, 1920, as per State Requirement

Street Improvement bonds, 1890, at 4%	$9,000.00	
Street Improvement bonds, 1892, at 4%	25,000.00	
Robinson Female Seminary bonds, 1909, at 1%	78,000.00	
Balance due schools August 31, 1920	14,324.85	
Balance dog licenses, due schools	401.11	
Appropriation, trunk line construction due state	2,500.00	
Balance, due state, state highway maintenance	396.20	
Balance due highway agent	4,576.46	
		$134,198.62

Schedule of Assets, January 31, 1920

Cash in treasury	$35,171.40	
Due from tax collector	5,721.92	
		$40,893.32
		$93,305.30

RICHARD E. SHUTE, *Town Treasurer.*

Auditors' Report

EXETER, N. H., February 13, 1920.

We have examined the above account and the note and bond books of the selectmen and find said account correct.

ALBERT N. DOW,
HARRY MERRILL,
Auditors.

Report of Trustees of Trust Funds

CHARLES A. MERRILL LIBRARY FUND

"The annual interest and no more shall be devoted to the sole purpose of purchasing books for the town library, giving preference always to books of permanent value."

Dr.

City of Woonsocket, 4% bond, due 1933	$2,000.00	
City of New York, 4% bond, due 1955	3,000.00	
Deposit in Union Five Cents Savings Bank	18.29	
Income from Woonsocket bonds	80.00	
New York bonds	120.00	
Union Five Cents Savings Bank	.64	
		$5.218.93

Cr.

Paid Harry E. Walker, treasurer	$200.64
Principal	5,000.00
Balance on deposit	18.29
	$5,218.93

HARRIETT M. MERRILL LIBRARY FUND

"Income to be devoted to the sole purpose of purchasing standard books for the use of said library."

Dr.

Principal:

City of Pawtucket bonds, 4s, due 1936	$3,000.00
Boston and Maine R. R. bond, 4s, due 1942	1,000.00
U. S. 3rd Liberty Loan	1,000.00

Income:		
U. S. 3rd Liberty Loan	$42.50	
Pawtucket bonds	120.00	
Boston & Maine R. R.	120.00	
		$5,282.50

Cr.

Paid Harry E. Walker, treasurer	$282.50	
Principal:		
Pawtucket bonds	3,000.00	
Boston and Maine R. R. bond	1,000.00	
U. S. 3rd Liberty Loan	1,000.00	
		$5,282.50

ABNER L. MERRILL FUND

"The annual interest to be used in behalf of the Exeter High School and devoted to rhetorical prizes. To be known as the Abner L. Merrill Fund for Rhetorical Prizes."

Dr.

Principal:		
Boston and Maine R. R. bond, 4s, due 1942	$1,000.00	
City of Toledo bond, 4s, due 1921	1,000.00	
Income:		
City of Toledo	40.00	
Boston and Maine R. R.	100.00	
		$2,140.00

Cr.

Paid Harry E. Walker, principal	$80.00	
Principal	2,000.00	
Unexpended income on deposit	60.00	
		$2,140.00

ELIZABETH S. FOLSOM FUND

"Income to be paid over, semi-annually, or oftener, to the Exeter Relief Society, to be expended for the purpose of said Relief Society."

Dr.

Principal:		
U. S. Liberty Loan Bond, 1st, 4¼% converted	$1,000.00	
Town of Gorham, N. H., 4% bond	500.00	
Deposit Union Five Cents Savings Bank	220.00	
Income:		
U. S. Liberty Loan bond	42.50	
Town of Gorham bond	20.00	
Dividend Savings Bank	7.75	
		$1,790.25

Cr.

Paid Harriet G. Burlingame, treasurer	$70.25	
Principal	1,720.00	
		$1,790.25

LUCRETIA TILTON FUND

Income to be devoted to the care of Tilton lot in the cemetery.

Dr.

Principal		
Boston & Maine bond, 4%, due 1926	$1,000.00	
Balance on deposit	112.21	
Income B. & M. bond	140.00	
Dividend Savings bank	3.96	
		$1,256.17

Cr.

Paid Geo. Spahn, care of lot	$3.00	
Principal	1,000.00	
Balance in Union Five Cents Savings Bank	253.17	
		$1,256.17

GEORGE S. YEATON FUND

"The income and no more, forever, shall be divided equally between five of the most needy American widows that have orphan children in this town, to be decided by the Selectmen."

Dr.

Principal:		
Town of Athol, Mass., bond, 4s, due 1932	$1,000.00	
Income from above	40.00	
		$1,040.00

Cr.

Paid Mary V. Pelletier	$10.00	
Lucy Allard	10.00	
Bridget Cahill	10.00	
Mrs. John Elliott	10.00	
Principal	1,000.00	
		$1,040.00

KATE HOLLAND FUND

"Income to be divided among deserving colored persons."

Dr.

Principal:		
U. S. 4th Liberty Loan	$500.00	
Interest on bond	20.73	
		$520.73

Cr.

Paid Isabelle Walker	$20.73	
Principal:		
U. S. 4th Liberty Loan bond	500.00	
		$520.73

ABBIE TUCK FRYE FUND

"Income to be devoted to care of Tuck lot in cemetery."

Dr.

Principal:		
U. S. 1st Liberty Loan bond, 4¼s, converted	$484.30	
Deposit Union Five Cents Savings Bank	15.70	
Unexpended income, Union Five Cents Savings Bank	113.84	
Income:		
U. S. Liberty Loan bond	21.25	
Union Five Cents Savings Bank	4.47	
		$639.56

Cr.

Paid W. R. Perkins, flowers for lot	$5.00	
John McNulty, care of lot	12.00	
Principal:		
U. S. Liberty Loan bond	484.30	
Deposit, Union Five Cents Savings Bank	15.70	
Unexpended income, deposit, Union Five Cents Savings Bank	122.56	
		$639.56

JOHN T. PERRY FUND

"Income to be devoted to care of Perry lot in cemetery."

Dr.

Principal:		
Union Five Cents Savings Bank	$200.00	
Unexpended income, Union Five Cents Savings Bank	33.30	
Dividend, Union Five Cents Savings Bank	8.23	
		$241.53

Cr.

Paid George Spahn, care of lot	$3.00	
Balance in Savings Bank	238.53	
		$241.53

SOLOMON J. PERKINS FUND

Income to be devoted to the care of the Perkins lot in Exeter Cemetery.

Dr.

Principal:		
Deposit Union Five Cents Savings Bank	$200.00	
Unexpended income, Union Five Cents Savings Bank	20.88	
Dividend, Union Five Cents Savings Bank	7.77	
		$228.65

Cr.

Paid George Spahn, care of lot	$4.00	
Balance in Savings Bank	224.65	
		$228.65

IDA DREW FUND

Income to be devoted to care of Drew lot in Exeter cemetery.

Dr.

Principal:		
Deposit, Union Five Cents Savings Bank	$100.00	
Unexpended income, deposit, Union Five Cents Savings Bank	29.79	
Dividend, Union Five Cents Savings Bank	4.57	
		$134.36

Cr.

Paid George Spahn, care of lot	$3.00	
Balance in Savings Bank	131.36	
		$134.36

ALBERT C. BUZELL FUND

Income to be paid to Public Library.

Dr.

Principal:		
Deposit, Union Five Cents Savings Bank	$2,000.00	
Dividend, Union Five Cents Savings Bank	70.61	
		$2,070.61

Cr.

Paid Harry E. Walker, treasurer	$70.61	
U. S. 4th Liberty Loan	1,848.64	
Deposit in Union Five Cents Savings Bank	151.36	
		$2,070.61

MARY A. MacCUISH FUND

Income to be devoted to care of MacCuish lot in Exeter cemetery.

Dr.

Principal:		
Deposit, in Union Five Cents Savings Bank	$100.00	
Unexpended income, deposit, Union Five Cents Savings Bank	4.92	
Dividend, Union Five Cents Savings Bank	3.68	
		$108.60

Cr.

Paid George Spahn, care of lot	$3.00	
Balance in Savings Bank	105.60	
		$108.60

LAURA M. SMITH FUND

Income to be used in keeping in order the George W. Smith lot in Exeter cemetery.

Dr.

Principal:		
Deposit in Union Five Cents Savings Bank	$100.00	
Unexpended income, deposit, Union Five Cents Savings Bank	7.01	
Dividend, Union Five Cents Savings Bank	3.76	
		$110.77

Cr.

Paid George Spahn, care of lot	$3.00	
Balance in Savings Bank	107.77	
		$110.77

CORA KENT BELL FUND

Income to be used for the care, preservation, and beautifying the Bell lot in the cemetery.

Dr.

Principal:		
Deposit in Union Five Cents Savings Bank	$300.00	
Unexpended income, deposit, Union Five Cents Savings Bank	35.99	
Dividend, Union Five Cents Savings Bank	11.83	
		$347.82

Cr.

Paid George Spahn, care of lot	$3.00	
Balance in Savings Bank	344.82	
		$347.82

IRENE LEAVITT FUND

Income to be devoted to the care of Leavitt lot in cemetery.

Dr.

Principal:		
Deposit in Union Five Cents Savings Bank	$208.59	
Unexpended income, deposit, Union Five Cents Savings Bank	20.73	
Dividends from above	8.09	
		$237.41

Cr.

Paid George Spahn, care of lot	$4.00	
Balance in Savings Bank	233.41	
		$237.41

MARY G. WILLIAMS FUND

Income to be devoted to care of Williams lot in Exeter cemetery.

Dr.

Principal:		
Deposit in Union Five Cents Savings Bank	$400.00	
Unexpended income, deposit, Union Five Cents Savings Bank	96.52	
Dividends from above	17.52	
		$514.04

Cr.

Paid George Spahn, care of lot	$4.00	
Balance on deposit in Savings Bank	510.04	
		$514.04

GARDINER GILMAN FUND

"Income to be devoted to care of Gilman lot in cemetery."

Dr.

Principal:		
Deposit in Union Five Cents Savings Bank	$500.00	
Unexpended income, deposit in Union Five Cents Savings Bank	61.64	
Dividends from above	19.81	
		$581.45

Cr.

Paid George Spahn, care of lot	$6.00	
Balance on deposit in Savings Bank	575.45	
		$581.45

HARRIET F. MANSON FUND

Income for care of Manson lot in Exeter cemetery.

Dr.

Principal:		
Deposit in Union Five Cents Savings Bank	$150.00	
Unexpended income deposit in Union Five Cents Savings Bank	7.97	
Dividends from above	5.55	
		$163.52

Cr.

Paid George Spahn, care of lot	$4.00	
Balance on deposit in Savings Bank	159.52	
		$163.52

EVERLIN R. STOVER FUND

Income for care of Stover lot, Exeter cemetery.

Dr.

Principal:		
Deposit in Union Five Cents Savings Bank	$150.00	
Unexpended income, deposit in Union Five Cents Savings Bank	2.23	
Dividends from above	7.13	
		$209.36

Cr.

Paid George Spahn, care of lot	$6.00	
Balance on deposit	203.36	
		$209.36

ABNER L. MERRILL LIBRARY FUND

"To use the annual interest thereof and no more in the purchase of books for its Public Library, giving preference to books of Biography, History, Travels, the useful Arts, and such other books as shall be of permanent value."

Dr.

Principal:		
U. S. 3rd Liberty Loan	$4,850.00	
Deposit Union Five Cents Savings Bank	140.91	
Income from above	212.56	
		$5,203.47

Cr.

Paid Harry E. Walker, Treas.	$203.47	
Principal, U. S. 3rd Liberty Loan	4,992.56	
Deposit, Union Five Cents Savings Bank	7.44	
		$5,203.47

ABNER L. MERRILL HIGH SCHOOL FUND

"The annual interest therefrom shall be appropriated to the purchase of books, such standard works of reference, as the best interests of the above named institutions may call for, and I suggest that the books may be classified in the libraries of these schools as belonging to the Merrill Fund of such libraries."

Dr.

Principal:		
U. S. 3rd Liberty Loan	$950.00	
Deposit Union Five Cents Savings Bank	44.78	
Income from above	41.96	
		$1,036.74

Cr.

Paid H. E. Walker, principal	$36.74	
Principal U. S. 3rd Liberty Loan	997.52	
Deposit Union Five Cents Savings Bank	2.48	
		$1,036.74

ELIZA J. PERKINS FUND

"After all debts be paid, I desire my money used to buy stones for my grave and those of father and mother and to keep the lot in repair."

Dr.

Principal:		
Deposit, Union Five Cents Savings Bank	$224.98	
Unexpended income, deposit in Union Five Cents Savings Bank	3.92	
Income from above	8.05	
		$236.95

Cr.

Paid Geo. Spahn, care of lot	$3.00	
Balance on deposit in Union Five Cents Savings Bank	233.95	
		$236.95

JOHN WATSON FUND

For perpetual care of Watson lot in cemetery.

Dr.

Principal:		
Cash	$100.00	
Income:		
From principal	2.26	
		$102.26

Cr.

Paid George Spahn care of lot	$2.26	
Principal U. S. 3rd Liberty Loan	94.74	
Deposit, Union Five Cents Savings Bank	5.26	
		$102.26

JEREMIAH SMITH FUND

For care of Jeremiah Smith lot in the old cemetery.

Dr.

Principal:		
Cash	$300.00	
Income:		
From principal	8.13	
		$308.13

Cr.

Paid George Spahn care of lot	$3.00	
Principal:		
U. S. Victory 4¾% bonds	300.00	
Income:		
Balance in Union Five Cents Savings Bank	5.13	
		$308.13

BUZELL FUND

For care of Buzell lot in cemetery:

Dr.

Principal:	
Received U. S. 3rd Liberty Loan Sept. 15, 1919, coupon detached	$100.00

Cr.

Principal:	
U. S. 3rd Liberty Loan	100.00

Respectfully submitted,

HENRY W. ANDERSON,
HERVEY KENT,
FRANK W. TAYLOR,

Trustees of Trust Funds for Town of Exeter.

Auditors' Report

EXETER, N. H., February 13, 1920.

We have examined the accounts of the trustees of Trust Funds, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched, and that the following is a correct statement of the amounts due the different Trust Funds.

Name of Fund	*Amount*
Charles A. Merrill, library	$5,018.29
Harriett M. Merrill, library	5,000.00
Abner L. Merrill, High School Rhetorical	2,060.00
Elizabeth S. Folsom, Relief Society	1,720.00
Lucretia Tilton, cemetery	1,253.17
George S. Yeaton, American widows	1,000.00
Kate Holland, colored persons	500.00
Abbie Tuck Frye, cemetery	622.56
John T. Perry, cemetery	238.53
Solomon J. Perkins, cemetery	224.65
Ida Drew, cemetery	131.36
Albert C. Buzell, library	2,000.00
Mary A. MacCuish, cemetery	105.60
Laura M. Smith, cemetery	107.77
Cora K. Bell, cemetery	344.82
Irene Leavitt, cemetery	233.41
Mary G. Williams, cemetery	510.04
Gardiner Gilman, cemetery	575.45
Harriet F. Manson, cemetery	159.52
Everlin R. Stover, cemetery	203.36
Abner L. Merrill, library	5,000.00
Abner L. Merrill, High School library	1,000.00
Eliza J. Perkins, cemetery	233.95
John Watson, cemetery	100.00
Jeremiah Smith, cemetery	305.13
Buzell, cemetery	100.00
	$28,747.61

ALBERT N. DOW.
HARRY MERRILL,
Auditors.

Report of Highway Agent

In addition to the general routine work of repairs, we have continued the policy of doing something of a more permanent nature.

At the entrance of the cross road leading to Pickpocket the grade was lowered and the material obtained, which consisted of about two thousand loads of good gravel, was used to grade the long stretch of sand on the Kingston Road at this point.

A large portion of Kingston Road was also graded from the Scammon farm to the bridge at Mr. Biladeau's. The gravel, which required one thousand loads, was taken from the Pevear pit at Pickpocket.

A sharp grade on the Newmarket Road below the Langley farm was reduced and several points on this road were greatly improved.

Some twelve hundred loads of gravel were used on the Brentwood Road.

We were able to run the crusher about two weeks at the last end of the season, with stones taken from different pits and elsewhere, the product of which was used on Railroad Avenue and a portion of Cass Street.

Dewey Street was laid out by the selectmen and a portion of it built.

Other improvements might well be mentioned, but they all speak for themselves.

This coming year the bridge at Gilman Park will have to be renewed throughout.

With the existing unsettled state of affairs we believe we can do no better than to continue with the same policy of repairing the worst places first, as opportunity affords.

With the increased cost of almost everything that enters into the construction of road work seventeen thousand dollars should be raised this year.

Following is a financial statement with principal items of expenditure.

C. CHARLES HAYES, *Highway Agent.*

C. CHARLES HAYES, HIGHWAY AGENT,

In account with Town of Exeter

Dr.

1919		
Feb. 14,	cash on hand	$373.23
	received from town treasurer	15,300.00
	state road, use of roller	432.00
	town of Stratham, repairs	50.10
	town of Kingston, use of scraper	4.00
	Ambrose Swasey, gravel	3.60
	C. A. Smith, crushed stone	4.34
	C. H. Johnson, labor	1.50
		$16,168.77

Cr.

Disbursements	$15,894.26	
1920		
Feb. 14, balance on hand	$274.51	
		$16,168.77

Auditors' Report

EXETER, N. H., February 17, 1920.

We have examined the foregoing accounts of C. Charles Hayes, highway agent, and we find them correctly cast and vouched, with a balance in his hands of two hundred and seventy four dollars and fifty-one cents ($274.51).

ALBERT N. DOW,
HARRY MERRILL,
Auditors.

Expenditures in Detail

1919-1920

Paid C. J. Pike, teaming and labor	$23.00
S. K. Ames, salt	1.90
Exeter Mfg. Co., cinders and waste	88.50
D. Waldron, labor	3.90
A. Hanson, labor	9.00
New England Road Machinery Co., oil	32.83
J. R. Clarke, oil	10.25
W. Kaywood, labor	12.50
G. C. Smith, repairs	5.60
F. F. Batchelder, supplies	.75
A. Germain, repairs	2.50
F. H. Lamson, supplies	1.70
Exeter Gas Light Co., tar	14.90
W. Callahan, labor	5.00
J. Fortier, labor	30.00
J. Bolier, labor	14.50
H. I. Dalman Co., supplies	19.81
A. F. Greenleaf, teaming and labor	37.75
A. M. Trefethen, team	2.00
J. T. Flynn, teams	14.00
Good Roads Machinery Co., supplies	9.92
F. Quimby, labor	4.00
G. Church, labor	6.00
J. H. Batchelder, supplies	3.55
G. E. Dearborn, trucking	3.25
C. W. Barker, labor	20.00
James Robinson, gravel	11.10
Exeter Water Works, cinders	4.35
F. C. Higgins, gravel	21.40
E. N. Gilman, gravel	3.40
C. H. Johnson, labor	4.00
A. E. & W. Hayes, supplies	3.06
Estate of S. A. Rundlett, gravel	65.00
G. L. Harkins, labor on trees	88.00
J. P. Smith, gravel	17.85
Exeter Brass Works, cinders	7.25

Paid George Bryant, gravel	$10.56
G. W. Hilliard, cinders	21.25
L. Conner, gravel	120.60
The Phillips Exeter Academy, cinders	30.66
W. S. Carlisle, sand	3.90
F. G. Peavey, gravel	45.30
W. Burlingame, oil	8.00
G. Maher, labor	45.00
J. Kruger, labor	25.00
J. Couland, labor	19.46
The Barrett Co., tarvia	336.95
N. E. Metal Co., culvert	117.87
S. O. Pevear, gravel	156.00
Wetherell's Garage, supplies	64.60
H. C. Williams & Co., supplies	11.95
H. F. Chase, teaming	33.75
Hilliard & Kimball, supplies	216.71
G. B. Shaw, labor and gravel	26.80
L. E. Williams, gravel	211.20
G. W. & C. A. Lane, repairs	3.85
G. H. Sampson Co., supplies	23.55
B. & M. Railroad, freight	43.71
J. Cooper, teaming	28.00
Hatch & Sullivan, repairs	7.39
T. A. Fenton, labor	70.85
Young & Pressey, supplies	78.97
A. Young, supplies	58.82
Exeter Lumber Co., supplies	149.65
Olaf Hanson, shoeing and repairs	183.35
A. M. Vroom, repairs	71.40
W. Summerfield, labor	221.50
J. Barnea, labor	76.40
A. E. McReel Co., coal and teaming	103.94
H. L. Philbrook, labor	1,040.50
R. Irvine, labor	944.00
J. Sweeney, labor	454.15
J. Drinkwater, labor	480.52
W. Bunker, labor	503.83

Paid W. E. Moore, teaming	$1,467.91
P. Willett, labor	792.00
C. Manix, labor	577.37
S. Button, labor	386.11
D. Troy, labor	224.49
G. W. Gooch, teaming	1,172.60
F. Eno, teaming	599.00
F. L. Colcord, teaming	620.08
D. Pelletier, labor	268.11
D. Light, labor	313.22
W. L. Nichols, labor and teaming	360.75
J. Poliquin, labor	159.10
F. Poliquin, labor	157.50
L. Carrier, labor	133.10
J. Knox, labor	60.00
F. H. Wadleigh, teaming	237.00
P. H. Biladeau, teaming	415.20
C. C. Hayes, teaming and supplies	911.75
C. E. Robinson, teaming	313.77
J. Lipsky, teaming	72.80
	$15,894.26

Miscellaneous Expenditures

Flushing and building sewers	$327.00
Repairs on State Road	234.70
North Hampton Road	150.00
The two Kensington Roads	425.00
Newmarket Road	2,909.00
Kingston Road	2,465.00
Railroad Avenue	800.00
Cass Street	400.00
Brentwood Road	1,100.25
Shoe Shop district	650.00
Dewey Street	205.00
Cleaning streets and catch basins	1,175.00
Cinder and gravel walks	950.00
Trimming trees	175.00

C. CHARLES HAYES, *Highway Agent.*

Chief Engineer's Report

Agreeably to the requirements of the law of New Hampshire, I have the honor herewith to submit the annual report of the Fire Department, for the year ending January 31, 1920, with a record of all fires and alarms, cause of same, as nearly as could be ascertained, with the value of insurance and insurance paid on the same.

February 1, 1919, 6 P. M.: Telephone call from Kingston for fire in a house owned and occupied by Mr. Lewis Smith. Caused by chimney fire. Chemical and six men responded.

February 6, 12.45 P. M.: Box 42; for fire in a house on Stratham Road, owned and occupied by Mr. Frank Boody as a dwelling. Value of house, $2.000; insurance, $1,300; insurance paid, $1,275; value of contents, $1,200; insurance, $600; insurance paid, $425. Caused from chimney fire.

February 7, 6.45 P. M.: Telephone call, chimney fire in a house on Vine Street. No damage.

February 18, 2.20 P. M.: Telephone call for a grass fire on High Street, on land owned by Dr. H. C. Day. No damage.

February 20, 5 P. M.: Telephone call for a grass fire on Stratham Road, on land owned by Mr. G. H. Walton, with slight damage to the house. Value of house, $1,800; insurance $1,200; insurance paid, $5.00.

March 10, 6.30 P. M.: Telephone call for fire in a house on High Street, owned and occupied by the John Ford heirs. Value of house, $1,800; insurance $1,000; insurance paid, $32.50. Caused by over-heated chimney.

March 12, 11.30 A. M.: Telephone call, chimney fire in a house on High Street, owned and occupied by Miss Amanda Brown. No damage.

March 13, 12.45 P. M.: Telephone call, chimney fire in a house on Newmarket Road, owned and occupied by the William Conner heirs. No damage.

March 15, 9.45 P. M.: Telephone call for fire in a house on Front Street, owned by Miss E. Bradley, and occupied by Mr. John Sullivan. Value of house, $2,500; insurance, $2,000;

insurance paid, $340; value of contents, $800; insurance, $500; insurance paid, $275. Caused by overturning of a lamp.

March 23, 10 P. M.: Telephone call for fire in a building on Water Street, owned by Mr. Charles E. Williams. No damage. Caused by overheated furnace.

April 8, 2 P. M.: Telephone call, chimney fire in a house on Jady Hill, owned and occupied by Mr. Everett Towle. No damage.

April 12, 12 M.: Telephone call for fire in a barn on Court Street, owned and occupied by D. Poggio & L. Gaiero. Caused by children playing with matches. No damage.

April 20, 9.45 A. M.: Telephone call, chimney fire in a house on Cass Street, owned and occupied by Mrs. Josephine Berry. No damage.

April 24, 11.05 A. M.: Telephone call for a grass fire on Newmarket Road, on land owned by the William Conner heirs. No damage.

April 25, 9.20 A. M.: Telephone call, chimney fire in a house on Charter Street, owned by Mr. Elbridge Goodwin. No damage.

April 26, 12.40 P. M.: Telephone call from Stratham, for fire in a house owned and occupied by Mr. Paul Goodsoe. Damage slight. Caused from overheated chimney.

May 26, 10.30 A. M.: Box 45, fire in the ice house on River Street, owned and occupied by Mr. F. L. Colcord. Value of building, $500; no insurance Total loss.

May 26, building owned by Mr. John Bondi was damaged. Value of building, $700; insurance, $500; insurance paid $25. Caused from ice house fire.

May 29, 5.30 P. M.: Telephone call, chimney fire in a house on Park Street, owned and occupied by Mr. Patrick Fitts. No damage.

May 30, 2.30 P. M.: Telephone call, fire in an automobile on Stratham Road. Slight damage.

June 14, 4.30 A. M.: Box 45, for fire in a building on Water Street, owned and occupied by Mr. Edwin Collishaw, and

others. Value of building, $6,000; insurance, $3.500; insurance paid, $3,500. Caused by a kettle of fat boiling over in the bakery.

The bakery was owned and occupied by Mr. William Murphy. Value of contents, $1,500; insurance, $1,000; insurance paid, $1,000.

William Minnon, the barber. Value of contents, $800; insurance, $400; insurance paid, $400.

June 18, 4.30 P. M.: Telephone call for fire at the dump on Newmarket Road. No damage.

June 24, 6.30 A. M.: Telephone call from Stratham for a bad chimney fire in a house owned and occupied by Mr. Charles Wiggin. No damage.

July 2, 8 P. M.: Telephone call for fire in the rear of Mr. Charles Haley's house on Stratham Road. Caused by Mr. Edward Haley burning rubbish. No damage.

July 7, 11 A. M.: Telephone call, chimney fire in a house on South Street, owned by Mr. Charles E. Williams. No damage.

July 7, 5.50 P. M.: Telephone call, chimney fire in a house on Stratham Road, owned by Mr. G. H. Walton. No damage.

July 8, 2.20 P. M.: Box 65, for fire in a barn on Upper Front Street, owned by H. F. Dunn, and occupied by Mr. J. McNamee. Value of barn, $600; insurance $600; insurance paid $600; value of contents, $150; insurance, $50; insurance paid, $50. Cause, unknown.

July 31, 11.10 P. M.: Box 42, for fire in a two-tenement house on River Street, owned by Mr. Frank Bitomski. Value of house, $2,500; insurance, $1,000; insurance paid, $1,000. Cause, unknown.

August 11, 3 P. M.: Box 25, brush fire on the Epping Road, on land owned by Mr. Arthur Conner. It burnt over about 30 acres of sprout land. Cause, burning grass.

September 8, 8.20 P. M.: For fire in a building on Court Street, owned and occupied by Mr. J. W. Tibbits. Value of building, $400; value of contents, $200; no insurance. Total loss.

September 13, 11.10 A. M.: Telephone call, chimney fire in

a house on Stratham Road, owned by Mr. J. Greeley. No damage.

September 14, 12.50 A. M.: Box 23, for fire in a house on Charter Street, owned by the Daniel Sanborn heirs and occupied by Mr. John Robinson as a dwelling and grocery store. Value of house, $1,000; insurance, $800; insurance paid, $782; value of contents, $150; insurance, $900. No insurance paid on contents. Cause, incendiary.

September 19, 1.50 A. M.: Box 48, for fire on the roof of a house on the Jady Hill Road, owned and occupied by Mr. Frank Bitomski. Value of house, $3,000; insurance, $500; insurance paid, $72. Cause, unknown.

September 25, 3.40 P. M.: Telephone call, chimney fire in a house on Carroll Street, owned by Mr. J. Knipe. No damage.

September 27, 10.20 P. M.: Box 36, for fire in the opera house on Water Street, owned by Mr. Ralph C. Pratt. No damage. Cause, incendiary.

October 4, 2 A. M.: Box 25, for fire in a house on Park Street, owned and occupied by Mr. Fred Colcord as a dwelling. Value of house $3,000; insurance $1,600; insurance paid, $1,600; value of contents, $1,000; insurance, $800; insurance paid, $800. Cause, incendiary.

October 13, 12.30 A. M.: Box 41, for fire in the opera house on Water Street, owned by Mr. Ralph C. Pratt. Value of building, $325. Total loss. Cause, incendiary.

The house owned by Dr. F. A. Charles and occupied by Bretschneider. Value of house, $1,800; insurance, $1,800; insurance paid, $1,758; value of contents, $2,000. No insurance. Damage, $600.

The Philip White house was owned by Mr. Frank Bitomski. Value of house, $200; insurance, $800; insurance paid, $200.

The house owned by Mr. H. W. Anderson. Value of house, $3,500; insurance, $2,500; insurance paid, $84.60. Cause, opera house fire.

The Cincinnati house. Value, $1,500; insurance, $10,000, insurance paid, $325. Cause, opera house fire.

Building owned by Mr. Ralph E. Meras. Value of $4,000;

insurance, $2,500; insurance paid, $39.00. Cause, opera house fire.

October 14, 12.55 A. M.: Telephone call from Epping for assistance for fire, which destroyed the Perkins hotel and other buildings. Cause, unknown.

October 21, 9.30 A. M.: Telephone call, chimney fire in a house on Prospect Hill, occupied by Mr. John Collishaw. No damage.

October 22, 5.30 P. M.: Telephone call for fire in the school house on Court Street. Value of building, $5,000; insurance, $2,500; insurance paid, $13.02. Caused by the heater.

October 25, 10 P. M.: Box 42, for fire in the ice house owned by Mr. John Lary and Collishaw. Value of building, $500; no insurance. Cause, incendiary.

October 28, 7 A. M.: Telephone call for fire in the coal shed at the G. W. Hilliard Rose Conservatory. Damage, slight.

November 13, 2.35 A. M.: Telephone call for fire in a house on Newmarket Road, owned by Mrs. Hannah G. Langley, and occupied by Charles and Albert McLane. Value of house, $2,000; insurance, $1,000; insurance paid, $1,000; value of contents, Charles McLane, $1,000; insurance, $500; insurance paid, $500. Albert McLane, value, $1,000; insurance, $700; insurance paid, $700. Cause, unknown.

November 21, 11.35 P. M.: Box 36, for fire in a barn on Spring Street, owned and occupied by the B. L. Merrill heirs. Value of barn, $2,000; insurance, $1,000; insurance paid, $40. Cause, incendiary.

November 26, 11 A. M.: Telephone call, chimney fire in a house on the Kingston Road, owned by Mr. Alfred Eno. No damage.

November 27, 9.20 A. M.: Telephone, chimney fire in a house on Water Street, occupied by Mr. A. D. Holmer. No damage.

December 2, 1.30 P. M.: Telephone call, chimney fire in a house on Green Street, owned by John J. Gilman's heirs. No damage.

December 2, 11.15 A. M.: Telephone call, chimney fire in a

house on Washington Street, owned by Mr. Herbert F. Dunn. No damage.

December 5, 11.10 A. M.: Box 26, for fire in a barn on Main Street, owned and occupied by Kopel Model. Value of barn, $700; insurance, $200; insurance paid, $200; value of contents, $300; no insurance; total loss. Cause, unknown.

December 12, 5.40 P. M.: Telephone call, chimney fire in a house on Franklin Street, owned by Mr. Frank Manix. No damage.

December 14, 10.15 A. M.: Telephone call, chimney fire in a house on Court Street, owned by Mr. James Bell. No damage.

December 15, 6.40 P. M.: Telephone call, chimney fire in a house on Linden Street, occupied by Mr. Frank Wadleigh. No damage.

December 31, 4.30 P. M.: Telephone call, for a small fire in the Lary garage on Court Street. No damage.

December 31, 5.45 P. M.: Box 23, for fire in the cement shed on Upper Front Street, owned by the Gale Brothers. Total loss. No insurance.

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January 1, 4.45 P. M.: Telephone call, chimney fire in a house on Union Street, occupied by Mr. Fred Churchill. No damage.

January 16, 8.15 A. M.: Telephone call for fire in the Charles E. Williams garage on Water Street. No damage.

January 31, 6.30 P. M.: Telephone call, for a small fire in a house on Elliott Street, owned and occupied by Miss Mabel Cilley. Insurance not adjusted. Cause, overheated fireplace.

I wish to return my thanks to the Assistant Engineers, members of the Fire Department and others who have assisted at fires.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE H. CARTER, *Chief Engineer.*

Police Commissioners' Report

We submit herewith the report of the Chief of Police, which, with the "Police" portion of the town treasurer's report, will show something as to what the police have done, and what it has cost. That the cost is greater than in former years is matter for regret—as is the fact that *everything* has increased in cost; but it is unavoidable.

It will be noticed that more than half the arrests during the year were for violation of traffic laws,—arrests of automobilists for failure to obey regulations made to prevent their making themselves a nuisance to each other and to the rest of the public. Of arrests for other offences, the number dealt with was about half as many as in 1918, the drunks being less than one-third as numerous this last year, and the number of other crimes being, as a natural consequence, also lessened.

The number of female offenders arrested in Exeter during the year was only one-sixth as large as in 1918. This would seem to indicate increased respect for the laws, on the part of those who, unless all signs fail, are soon to have a share in making laws for both sexes to obey.

We have been fortunate, in a time when so-called labor troubles are so prevalent throughout the entire world, in having wholly escaped them. It is matter of congratulation that the relations between employers and employees here are such as justify the hope that our immunity will continue—and that though we certainly cannot dispense with a police force, its duties are likely, in the future, as in the past, to be by no means onerous, so long as we are not invaded by offenders from outside.

ARTHUR O. FULLER, *for the Board.*

Exeter, March 1, 1920.

Report of Superintendent of Police

To the Honorable Board of Police Commissioners:

GENTLEMEN: Following is my report from February 1, 1919, to February 1, 1920:

Whole number of arrests		67
Male	66	
Female	1	
Assault		5
Drunks		10
Disorderly house		1
Disturbing peace		4
Idle person		1
Larceny		3
Profane language		1
Non support		2
Going into a house disorderly		1
Transporting liquor		1
Breaking traffic laws		38

How disposed of:

Appealed	2
Bound over	3
Continued	1
Discharged	10
Fined	43
Sent to County Farm	3
Returned to County Farm	1
Suspended sentence	3
Forfeited bail	1

Miscellaneous

Property reported lost or stolen	$1,450
Amount recovered	1,325
Bicycles found	21
Doors and windows found open and looked after	260
Tramps given lodging	75

Yours respectfully,

ELVYN A. BUNKER, *Superintendent of Police.*

Public Library Report

LIBRARIAN'S REPORT

Resources

Number of bound volumes at beginning of year (exclusive of Perry collection)	20,573
Number of bound volumes added by purchase (159 of these credited to Merrill funds)	332
Number of bound volumes added by gift (exclusive of public documents)	62
Number of volumes of magazines added by binding	42
Total number of volumes owned at end of year	21,009

Number of bound volumes replaced	31
Federal, state and town documents added	305
Number of magazines and newspapers currently received	64

Service

	Adult	*Juvenile*	*Total*
Number of volumes of non-fiction lent	6,980	1,015	7,995
Number of volumes of fiction lent	22,977	9,048	32,025
Magazines lent	.....	.....	....
Total circulation for current year	29,957	10,063	40,020

Number of new borrowers added during the year:

Townspeople	304
Students of the Academy (which includes 19 Summer School students)	367
Total	671

Number of outside agencies, one "Children's Home Library"

The following is a list of books and pamphlets presented (exclusive of federal, state and town documents).

	Books	*Pamphlets*
Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company	..	1
Boston Music Company	..	40
Burlingame, Mrs. William	4	..
Christian Register (Unitarian Society)	..	52
Christian Science Journal	..	12
Christian Science Monitor	..	311
Christian Science Sentinel	..	52
College reports	..	10
Dana, Miss Mabel B.	1	..
Dana, Dr. Samuel H.	..	104
Daughters of the American Revolution	..	12
DeCourtney, Fales	1	..
Dow, E. Ellsworth	1	..
Exeter News-Letter	..	52
Ford, Mrs. Sarah	..	1
Fuller, Mr. Arthur O.	..	11
Granite State Outlook	..	12
Guaranty Trust Company	..	64
Harding, Mrs. George F.	1	..
Indians' Friend	..	3
Kip, Mr. Frederic P.	2	..
Lane, Mrs. A. M.	26	..
Libby, Mr. F. J.	1	..
Library reports	5	9
Miscellaneous	4	325
Moulton, Miss Frances E.	..	23
New Hampshire Issue	..	9
Oriental Esoteric Library Critic	..	26
The Phillips Exeter Academy	1	2
Red Cross	..	100
Remonstrance	..	4
Sanborn, Mr. E. W.	1	..
Sargent, Mr. P. E.	1	..
Sawyer, Mr. R. D.	1	..
School reports	..	21
Thomas, W. A. (P. E. A.)	13	..

	Books	Pamphlets
Union Signal (W. C. T. U.)	..	46
Woman Patriot	..	47
Young Crusader	..	13
	63	692

CARRIE W. BYINGTON, *Librarian.*

TREASURER'S REPORT

The receipts and expenditures of the Public Library for the year ending January 31, 1920, were as follows:

Receipts

Balance on hand, February 1, 1919:		
Town appropriation	$305.46	
Academy fund	150.00	
From town treasurer:		
Town appropriation	2,500.00	
From trustees of trust funds:		
Harriett M. Merrill fund	282.50	
Charles A. Merrill fund	200.64	
Abner L. Merrill fund	203.47	
Albert C. Buzell fund	70.61	
From librarian, fines	272.77	
books, etc.	17.06	
		$4,002.51

Expenditures

Books from appropriation	$146.61
Merrill funds	397.87
Periodicals	204.56
Binding	86.26

Salaries, librarian	$720.00	
assistants	804.00	
janitor service	300.00	
Rent, light, heat, water	391.40	
Supplies and printing	225.52	
		$3,276.22
Balance on hand February 1, 1920:		
Town appropriation	$409.08	
Harriett M. Merrill fund	113.74	
Abner L. Merrill fund	203.47	
		$726.29
		$4,002.51

The Harriett M. Merrill fund, owing to the payment of passed interest on a Boston and Maine bond, yielded a larger income than had been anticipated. The income on the Abner L. Merrill fund was available too late for use in the fiscal year.

HARRY E. WALKER, *Treasurer.*

Auditors' Report

EXETER, N. H., February 24, 1920.

We have this day examined the foregoing account of Harry E. Walker, treasurer, and find it correct with a balance in his hands of seven hundred twenty-six dollars and twenty-nine cents.

ALBERT J. WEEKS,
HARRY MERRILL,
Auditors.

Report of the Committee on a Soldiers and Sailors' Memorial

The committee appointed at the annual town meeting in March, 1919, to consider the subject of a memorial to the soldiers and sailors of the town, recommend that a sum not to exceed $10,000 be appropriated to remodel the upper story of the Town Hall building and fit it for the use of said soldiers and sailors, and that a committee composed of John Scammon, Albert E. McReel, John W. A. Green, Albert J. Weeks, Thomas Smith and Thomas McLaughlin be named to carry out this recommendation. Your committee would also recommend that Daniel Chester French be employed to design and construct a suitable memorial to Exeter's soldiers and sailors at an expense not exceeding $20,000, and that a committee composed of John E. Young, Wendell B. Folsom, Albertus T. Dudley and James W. Bixler be appointed to carry out this recommendation.

That of the above sums, the town raise $27,000 by means of town bonds, to mature $3,000 per year, in one, two, three, four, five, six, seven, eight and nine years, and bearing interest at the lowest rate obtainable, and the remaining $3,000 be raised as a part of the town tax for the current year.

ALBERT E. McREEL, *Secretary,*
For the Committee.

Robinson Female Seminary

PRINCIPAL'S REPORT

To the Honorable Board of Trustees of Robinson Female Seminary:

The total enrollment to date in the six classes of the Seminary is 271, an increase of 33 over the total enrollment of March, 1919.

Since it has not been necessary to close the school during the present year on account of an epidemic as we were forced to do last year, progress in school work as a whole shows an improvement over the accomplishments of last year, yet the work has been hampered to a considerable extent by cases of colds, mumps, influenza and diphtheria. The hard travelling and impaired transportation service of the past few weeks and the difficulty of proper heating and ventilation on cold days also have interfered with the routine of work.

The course in Commerce continues to interest the pupils who have elected that curriculum and the employers of pupils who were graduated in June report that their work is very satisfactory.

The Domestic Arts course is giving excellent practical experience which is used to advantage in many homes. The serving of lunches, prepared in the cooking classes, greatly benefits the pupils who remain at the building for lunch during the noon hour and almost entirely eliminates the expense of supplies for this department.

The college course is giving a superior preparation for colleges as is demonstrated by the reports received, which show the standing of Seminary graduates in different colleges.

The time given to gymnastic exercises has been doubled since October in accordance with the recommendation of the committee appointed by the Board of Trustees to consider

the problem of physical exercise in the school. Each class has two periods per week with the instructor in gymnastics and two periods of five minutes daily for gymnastic drill.

Prizes for gardening given by Mrs. Lillian Walker Williams, of the class of 1875, have been awarded to six girls whose gardens showed the best care and gave the largest yield. The ten girls having the best gardens raised vegetables valued at $370.

The table arm chairs which you have provided for class room use have added very greatly to the convenience and success of recitation work. Teachers and pupils sincerely appreciate the noticeable benefit derived from this improvement.

Other needed improvements have been mentioned in my reports of the past few years and need not be repeated. I am confident that you will attend to these matters as rapidly as seems feasible to you.

At the opening of the fall term, three new teachers entered upon the work of the school. For the position of Latin and Mathematics teacher, Miss Frances Philbrook was elected, a graduate of the Seminary in the class of 1912, and of Wellesley College in the class of 1916. Miss Mary DeGross, who has charge of the seventh grade room, was elected teacher of Elementary Science and Sewing. Miss Annie L. Smith, a graduate of Bates College, was appointed a substitute teacher of Commerce for the fall term. Mrs. Mildred Flower Fogg, teacher of French, resigned at the beginning of the fall term. Her place was filled until Thanksgiving by Miss Jessie H. Nettleton. At the beginning of the winter term Miss Nettleton was succeeded by Miss Ruth E. Clark, a graduate of Wellesley College in the class of 1916.

In a communication of February 2 accompanying the letter presented by the teachers of the Seminary asking your attention to the difficulty which they are experiencing in meeting the increased cost of living with the salaries now paid, I reminded you of the experience of the committee on teachers which has found it almost impossible to procure suitable

teachers with the salaries the school is paying. In no case has it been possible to secure a new teacher for the salary paid her predecessor.

The outlook to-day is even less promising than it was a month ago. The papers almost daily call attention to additional teaching positions which have been given up for more remunerative employment. The increasing shortage of teachers has developed into a nation-wide problem that is causing grave concern.

On February 23, the semi-continental meeting of the department of Superintendents of the National Educational Association and 50 other policy determining bodies reported as the chief topic for consideration the great shortage of teachers and the fixing of a minimum salary of $1,200 for inexperienced teachers in all elementary schools with a possible maximum salary of $2100. Since there are women in commercial positions in Exeter receiving more than this suggested maximum salary, the proposal does not seem unreasonable.

If the schedule of salaries should be adopted by a majority of the elementary schools, the secondary schools would be forced to exceed these figures.

A general tendency to increase salaries of teachers in all parts of the country is indicated by the number of places that have already granted increases of $300 to $600 retroactive to January 1st, 1920.

Commissioner Butterfield has stated that because of the great shortage of teachers we cannot replace satisfactory teachers in New Hampshire, and that therefore if we are to have competent teachers we must retain those whom we are now employing.

The Seminary to-day has on its teaching staff no instructor with less than three years of experience. Ten teachers hold service certificates, granted for at least ten years of successful teaching experience.

To replace these teachers even with inferior substitutes would require the payment of higher salaries than are now paid.

Mere economy demands the protection of the pupils of the Seminary through the granting of generous increases in salary.

With the confidence that you will meet the critical situation confronting the Seminary in the same sympathetic and generous spirit which you have shown during the years that I have enjoyed the privilege of associating with you, I am,

Respectfully yours,

HARLAN M. BISBEE.

SEMINARY TREASURER'S REPORT

To the Trustees of Robinson Female Seminary for the year ending January 31, 1920:

Income	Dr.	
To income from investments	$13,220.03	
tuitions from out-of-town pupils	2,821.00	
appropriation from the town of Exeter	4,000.00	
income from other sources	31.60	
Cash on hand February 1, 1919	1,667.55	
		$21,740.18

Income	Cr.
By salaries of teachers and principal's assistant	$14,698.60
janitor's salary	815.00
cleaning, laundry work, etc.	338.98
fuel	912.72
books and supplies	1,127.48
new equipment	440.00
supplies household economics course	73.23
Special Funds:	
Edith Brewer, Hilliard Scholarship	100.00
Edna Ayers, Hilliard Scholarship	100.00
Merrill prizes	80.00
Moses Fund, income deposited in Savings Bank	30.00
Alumnae Building Fund, income deposited in Savings Bank	4.25
outside repairs and care of grounds and walks	195.53
interior repairs	594.76
repairs principal's residence	117.13
telephone, light and water	423.33
reserved increment carried to capital	157.88

By commencement expenses	$74.71	
treasurer's salary	350.00	
miscellaneous	409.55	
Cash on hand January 31, 1920	597.03	
		$21,740.18

Capital	Dr.	
To uninvested capital on hand February 1, 1919	$1,590.29	
United States Temporary Certificates matured	1,500.00	
town of Exeter bond matured	1,000.00	
reserved premium increment	157.88	
		$4,308.17

Capital	Cr.	
By United States Temporary Certificates	$1,500.00	
deposited in savings bank	10.82	
uninvested capital on hand January 31, 1920	2,797.35	
		$4,308.17

ERNEST G. TEMPLETON, *Treasurer.*

Auditors' Report

EXETER, N. H., March 3, 1920.

We have examined this account and find it correctly cast and properly vouched and that there is in the hands of the treasurer $597.03 cash representing income and $2,797.35 representing capital uninvested and securities of a book value of $340,638.43, including a deposit of $317.75 in the Union Five Cents Savings Bank.

This is in addition to deposits in the Union Five Cents Savings Bank representing the Henry C. Moses Normal Department Fund, $686.57 and the Alumnae Building Fund, $5.77.

W. BURLINGAME,
DANA W. BAKER,
ALBERT J. WEEKS,
ARTHUR O. FULLER,
R. C. STEVENSON,
Trustees.

A schedule of securities of the Robinson Female Seminary Fund, February 1, 1920:

Railroad Bonds

Par Value		*Book Value*
$5,000.00	Bangor & Aroostook Railroad Co., 4's, 1951	$4,837.50
1,000.00	Erie Railroad Co., 1st Mort., 4s, 1996	990.00
2,000.00	Norfolk & Western Railroad Co., 1st Mort., 4s, 1944	985.00
11,000.00	Northern Pacific Great Northern Jt. Con., 4s, 1921	11,000.00
5,000.00	Southern Pacific Railway Co., 4s, 1955	4,750.00
5,000.00	Oregon Short Line Railroad Co., 5s, 1946	5,573.65
1,000.00	Pennsylvania & Northwestern Railroad Co., 5s, 1930	1,059.86
2,000.00	Boston & Maine Railroad Co., 4s, 1942	1,992.50
4,000.00	Louisville & Nashville Railroad Co., 4s, 1946	3,920.00
1,000.00	Louisville & Nashville Railroad Co., 4½s, 1946	1,000.00
1,000.00	Missouri, Kansas & Texas Railroad Co., 1st 4s, 2004	892.50
4,000.00	Baltimore & Ohio Railroad, 1st 4s, 1948	4,000.00
1,000.00	Central Pacific Railroad, 4s, 1954	990 00
2,000.00	Chicago Junction & Union Stock Yards Railroad, 1st 4s, 1940	2,000.00
5,000.00	Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific, 1st 4s, 1934	4,812.50
6,000.00	Ohio River Railroad Co., 5s, 1937	6,441.26
1,000.00	New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Co., deb. 4s, 1956	976.11
1,000.00	Boston & Albany Railroad Co., 4s, 1934	1,009.00

Par Value		*Book Value*
1,000.00	St. Paul & Duluth Railroad Co., 4s, 1968	$1,000.00
5,000.00	St. Louis, Iron Mt. & Southern Railroad Co., 4s, 1933	4,715.00
5,000.00	Wabash, Pittsburgh Ter. Railroad, 1st 4s, 1954	4,625.00
2,000.00	Dutchess County Railroad Co., 4s, 1940	2,098.54
5,000.00	Texas & Pacific Railroad Co., 5s, 2,000	5,646.50
$76,000.00		$76,314.92

Municipal Bonds

Par Value		*Book Value*
$2,000.00	City of Rochester, N. H., 4s, 1921	$2,000.00
1,000.00	City of Salt Lake City, U., 4s., 1921	976.25
78,000.00	Town of Exeter, 1921–1981 (serially) 1s	78,000.00
1,000.00	City of Ogden, 4½s, 1929	1,028.60
5,000.00	Town of East Providence, 4s, 1951	5,309.10
1,000.00	City of Milwaukee, 4s, 1922–1923	1,001.35
2,000.00	City of Milwaukee, 4½s, 1922	2,017.85
5,000.00	Dayton, Ohio, School District, 4½s, 1939	5,232.71
5,000.00	City of South Norwalk, Conn., 4s, 1935	5,000.00
5,000.00	City of New York, 4¼s, 1960	5,091.90
3,000.00	Columbus, O., 4½s, 1945	3,252.15
1,000.00	Seattle School District, 4½s, 1931	1,007.62
2,000.00	City of Duluth, Minn., 4s, 1928	1,950.00
1,000.00	City of Norwich, Conn., 4s, 1931	1,000.00
3,000.00	City of Duluth, 4s, 1936	2,910.00
5,000.00	City of Minneapolis, Minn., 4s, 1944	5,044.42
3,000.00	City of Lima, O., 4s, 1934	3,006.18
2,000.00	City of East Portland, Ore., 6s, 1921	2,000.00

Par Value		*Book Value*
3,000.00	City and County of Denver, Col., 1948, 4½s	2,970.00
1,000.00	City of Toledo, O., 4s, 1921	1,000.00
2,000.00	City of Salem, Ore., 1932	2,041.12
2,000.00	City of Pawtucket, R. I., 4s, 1944	2,029.74
2,000.00	Salt Lake City School District, 1932	2,033.25
3,000.00	City of Seattle, Wash., cpn., 4½s, 1931	2,943.90
$138,000.00		$138,846.14

United States Government Securities

$25,000.00	2nd Liberty Loan, 4½s, Reg.	$25,000.00
4,100.00	3rd Liberty Loan, 4¼s	4,100.00
1,000.00	4th Liberty Loan, 4¼s	956.80
1,000.00	War Savings Stamps, 1918	834.00
$31,100.00		$30,890.00

Street Railways

$5,000.00	Old Colony Street Railway, 1st 4s, 1954	$4,550.00
1,000.00	Montreal Tramways, 5s, 1941	1,003.80
1,000.00	West End Street Railway, 4s, 1932	1,028.77
845.00	28th and 29th Streets, Crosstown Railroad Co., 5s, 1996	991.31
5,000.00	Portland Railway Light & Power Co., 5s, 1942	4,800.00
$12,845.00		$12,373.88

Telephone and Telegraph Companies

$10,000.00	American Telephone & Telegraph Co., 1st Col. Tr., 4s, 1929	$10,000.00
2,000.00	Michigan State Telephone Co., 1st 5s, 1924	2,003.98

Par Value		*Book Value*
$10,000.00	Western Union Telegraph Co., 4½s, 1950	$10,301.80
3,000.00	Southern California Telephone Co., 1st & Ref. 5s, 1947	2,730.00
$25,000.00		$25,035.78
	Water Companies	
$3,000.00	Champaign & Urbana Water, 1st 5s, 1932	$2,910.00
2,000.00	Exeter Water Works, 4½s, 1923	1,935.00
1,000.00	Exeter Water Works, 4½s, 1923	1,001.84
$6,000.00		$5,846.84
	Industrials	
$1,000.00	Western United Gas & Electric Co., 1st 5s, 1950	$1,000.00
5,000.00	Puget Sound Power Co.	4,984.80
3,000.00	Idaho Power Co., 1st 5s	2,670.00
3,000.00	Pacific Gas & Electric Co., Gen. & Ref., 5s, 1942	2,628.75
1,000.00	Sierra & San Francisco Power Co., 1st 5s, 1949	860.00
3,000.00	Columbus Power Co., 1st 5s, 1936	2,760.00
3,000.00	Hydraulic Power Co., of Niagara Falls, Ref. & Imp., 5s, 1951	2,790.00
$19,000.00		$17,693.55
	Debenture Bonds	
$140.00	Crippen-Lawrence Co., debentures	$140.00
	Bank Stock	
$10,000.00	100 shares National Bank of Commerce	$8,422.41
1,980.00	40 shares National Bank of North America, assets in liquidation	2,226.60
$11,980.00		$10,649.01

Railroad Stock

Par Value		*Book Value*
$1,700.00	17 shares Union Pacific Railroad (preferred)	$1,475.88
10,000.00	100 shares Delaware & Hudson Co.	10,000.00
1,500.00	30 shares West End Street Railway Co.	1,500.00
1,300.00	13 shares Concord & Montreal, Cl. 4	2,089.25
4,700.00	94 shares Pennsylvania Railroad	5,514.63
450.00	9 shares Pennsylvania Railroad	450.00
500.00	5 shares Chicago Junction & Union Stock Yards Co.	500.00
$20,150.00		$21,529.76
$1,000.00	Sarah E. Perkins, mortgage, Newfields, N. H.	$1,000.00
317.75	Deposit in Union Five Cents Savings Bank, Bk. No. 17,894	317.75
$341,532.75	Totals	$340,638.43

ERNEST G. TEMPLETON, *Treasurer.*

Vital Statistics

BIRTHS Registered in the Town of Exeter, N. H., for the year ending December 31, 1919.

Date		Name of Child (if any).	Male or Female.	No. of Child.	Living or Still-born.	Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.	Birthplace of Father.	Birthplace of Mother.
Jan.	8	Charles W.	M	3	L	Charles W. Clark	Hannah E. Williams	P. E. Island	Nova Scotia.
	9	Margaret	F	7	L	Edmund Gallant	Margaret Parkinson	Canada	Newmarket.
	10	Jane	F	2	L	Charles M. Clark	Sarah E. Winslow	Wells, Me.	Falmouth, Me.
	10	Rita	F	7	L	Walter Lavigne	Agnes Graney	Canada	Exeter.
	10	Charles R.	M	1	L	Anthony Dabuszinski	Ida Pariseau	Russia	Salem, Mass.
	14		M	3	L	William F. Knowles	Jessie Swain	Newb'yp't,Ms.	Exeter.
	15	Francis	M	4	L	Joe Navack	Marcini Jedoldoka	Russia	Russia.
	18		M		L	James C. Stanley	Flora B. Dunn	Winthrop, Ms.	Auburn, Me.
	19	Ludvicia	F	2	L	Marchont Fallick	Bernice Bouchnant	Austria	Austria
	22	Frances Mason	F	1	L	Arthur G. Wadleigh	Flora Rouzono	Kensington	Boston, Mass.
	23	Francis Albert	M	3	L	Edward A. Dussault	Ethel M. Sheldon	Marlboro, Ms.	Peterboro.
	23	Jadniga	F	5	L	M. Antonio Goc	StanistaniaSzatkowski	Poland	Poland.
	23	John	M	5	L	Arthur Crowell	Helen A. Prescott		Kensington.
	31	James B.	M	2	L	George H. Leavitt	Clara H. Rock	Newington	Exeter
Feb.	7	Gertrude	F	3	L	Chas. H. Summerfield	Gertrude Ramsdell	Germany	Haverhill, Ms.
	11	Julia B.	F	2	L	William Russines	Bernice A. Kopka	Russia	Exeter.
	21	William Tucker	M	2	L	Frank W. Cushwa	Elizabeth W. Tucker	Martinsb'g,WV.	Andover, Mass.
	28	Robert J.	M	2	L	Joseph Lessard	Alma Denoncour	Canada	Exeter.
Mar.	4		F	1	L	James Marden	Georgie Marston	Georgetown,Me	Portland, Me.
	5	Henry Knight	M	1	L	Harry Raybold	Mildred F. Knight	Woodbury,N.Y.	Hampton Falls.
	10	John	M	2	L	John Bekoneaf	Ckola Rukas	Russia	Russia.
	10	Frank Louis	M	1	L	Frank Louis Lake	Lucy E. Heidke	Germany	Philad'phia, Pa.
	18	Elizabeth G.	F	3	L	Albert McLane	Lavinia Jackson	Exeter	Nova Scotia.
	25		M	2	S	Asa W. Winters	Grace B. Day	Burke, N. Y.	Kingston.
Apr.	7	Nellie Alberta	F	7	L	Arthur J. Call	Mabel C. Lane	Portsmouth	Hampton Falls.

Apr.	8	Bernard M.	M	3	L	William A. Hanson	Annie Demers	Brentwood	Berwick, Me.
	10	Joseph	M	7	L	Joseph Wiscawa	Katie Suska	Poland	Poland.
	15		F	3	L	F. Everett Winslow	Ellen W. Bates	Quincy, Mass.	Braintree, Mass.
	17	Alice M.	F	4	L	Hubert J. Gallant	Mary E. Keane	P. E. Island	Exeter.
	19	George Tarlton	M	2	L	George T. Webb	Willietta Belknap	Manchester	Balton's Ms., Q.
	23	Jane	F	3	L	Fred A. Smith	Blanche C. Batchelder	Saco, Me.	Lynn, Mass.
	25	Caroline Irene	F	4	L	Peter Morreau	Theresa Lacombe	Newmarket	Lowell, Mass.
	27		F	2	L	Oliver M. Blood	Grace Holbrook	Manchester	Bedford.
May	1		M	1	S	Harvey C. Rand	Jennie F. Babb	Raymond	Lee.
	1	Harvey C.	M	2	L	Harvey C. Rand	Jennie F. Babb	Raymond	Lee.
	7	Izadore	F	3	L	Sheldon Marston	Grace Garland	Portland, Me.	No. Hampton.
	7		M	11	S	Robert C. Rohr	Augusta Bolter	Germany	Germany.
	8	Burton	M	1	L	Frank Crum	Mary Barnes	Charles'n, S.C.	Columbia, S.C.
	12		M	4	L	Leon M. Knowles	Marion T. Drake	No. Hampton	No. Hampton.
	13	Ruth Helen	F	2	L	Andrew Christie	Olive May Clark	Boston. Mass.	Newport.
	14	Charles A.	M	4	L	Charles A. Gilmore	Gertrude Keller	Exeter	Lawrence, Ms.
	14		M	6	L	Herman A. Clock	Bessie E. Dearborn	Boston, Mass.	Candia.
	16	Marion	F	3	L	Wendell T. Harvey	Katharine Young	Woodstock, Vt.	Berkeley, Md.
	19	Ellena Jane	F	2	L	George B. Gatchell	Louise E. Badger	Etna, Me.	Jamaica Pl., Ms.
	20	Mary C.	F	2	L	William McGaughey	Sadie Savage	Nova Scotia	Nova Scotia.
	30	Mary Elizabeth	F	1	L	Raymond O. Hobbs	Gertrude L. Carter	No. Hampton	Newb'yp't, Ms.
	30	Louis, Jr.	M	4	L	Louis Gaiero	Margaret Perola	Italy	Italy.
June	11	Doris Ellen	F	4	L	John E. Noonan	Ida Moore	Exeter	Exeter.
	12	Benjamin Curtis	M	1	L	H. P. Arnold	Elizabeth Fowler	Quincy, Mass.	Concord.
	15		F		S	W. L. Dining	Myrtle H. Rokes	No. Hampton	Greenland.
	19	Margery Elizabeth	F	1	L	Ernest R. Flanders	Georgia Ruth Day		Portsmouth.
	21	Donald Lloyd	M	7	L	Frank H. Barker	Laura M. Snell	Stratham	Nova Scotia.
	28	Barbara Jeanette	F	2	L	Don D. Ward	Nellie A. Mathews	S. Danby, N.Y.	Liberty, Pa.
	29	Edward Joseph	M	1	L		Nellie Keller		Exeter.
	30	Carl Raymond	M	1	L	Carl J. Hanson	Frances E. Phelps	Sweden	Paterson, N. J.
July	5	Clara Helen	F	3	L	Allston K. Thorndike	Clara C. Bagley	Canton, Mass.	Jamaica Pl., Ms.
	14	George H.	M	3	L	Henry S. Davis	Florence Hutchins	Kensington	Dover.
	16	Bertha M.	F	1	L	Winfred S. Bradford	Marion Watson	Derry	Exeter.
	18	Morris	M	4	L	Louis Mintz	Zalda Banker	Russia	Russia.

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Date		Name of Child (if any).	Male or Female.	No. of Child.	Living or Still-born.	Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.	Birthplace of Father.	Birthplace of Mother.
July	20	Helen	F	4	L	John Q. Adams	Elizabeth M. Mahar	Andover, Ms.	Exeter.
	22	Helen Ruth	F	4	L	Henry A. Cunningham	Delia Dodier	Revere, Mass.	Canada.
	22	Charles Hugh, Jr.	M	2	L	Charles Hugh Chase	Maud Thompson	Stratham	Stratham.
	25	Herman	M	8	L	Herman Shultz	Delia Kurtz	Germany	Germany.
	30	Isabelle R.	F	2	L	Frank H. Sargent	Elizabeth Brown	Exeter	Exeter.
Aug.	2	Mary Louise	F		S	John H. Hoyt	Mabel L. Leach	Fremont	Eliot, Me.
	3		F	3	L	Melvin G. Armstrong	Ruth B. McKenna	Rochester	Durham.
	4	Robert Hunter	M	2	L	Robert James Betty	Emily E. Hunter	Ireland	Exeter.
	6	Louise	F	6	L	Joseph Dasiewicz	Mary Mazewic	Russia	Russia.
	8		F	3	L	Henry Clinton Hanson	Stella A. Thompson	Gorham, Me.	Stratham.
	19		F	1	L	Robert H. Gowen	Mary L. Nixon	Stratham	Derberage, Ire.
	29	Howard	M	5	L	Herbert Holcroft	Elizabeth Kelley	England	Newmarket.
	29			2	L	Leon Dunton	Marguerita Moses	Fitzwilliam	Kensington.
	31	Alec	M	6	S	Oliver Plant	Mary Dennis	Canada	Providence, R.I.
Sept.	5	Constance	F	4	L	Waldo A. Seymour	Marie E. Doherty	Boston, Mass.	Boston, Mass.
	6	Clarence Edward	M	2	L	Orville B. Garvin	Ethel C. Lufkin	Nashua	Lynn, Mass.
	7	Wilbur Finch	M	2	L	Laurence B. Hawes	Gertrude Tompkins	Readfield, Me.	Ossining, N. Y.
	14	Ansell Walter	M	2	L	Charles D. Palmer	Bernice Glidden	Hampton	Medford, Mass.
	16	Lewis Emmons, Jr.	M	1	L	Lewis E. Fifield	Pauline S. Frost	Exeter	Rye Beach.
	22	Wendell G., Jr.	M	3	L	Wendell G. Sargent	Ella	Haverhill, Ms.	Fullers, N. Y.
	27	Alcide Eugene, Jr.	M		L	Alcide E. Miron	Henrietta B. Blake	Exeter	Newb'yp't, Ms.
	29	Dorothy Emery	F	3	L	Henry C. Blake	Nellie May Ames	Conway C'r.	Fairfield, Me.
	30	Dorothy Louise	F	1	L	Guy W. Brewster	V. Pauline Dame	Stratham	Nottingham.
Oct.	4	Margerie E.	F	2	L	Fred W. Eastman	Maribel Jackson	Exeter	Nova Scotia.
	5		F	1	L	Stephen Pienkowski	Margaret Majdecka	Poland	Exeter.

Oct.	7	Pearl Anna	F	8	L	Charles A. McLane	Agnes M. Lane	Exeter	Belfast, Me.
	7	Katherine	F	5	L	John Lipsky	Annie Mincovich	Russia	Russia.
	8		F	3	L	Harry C. Williams	Lora E. Page	Exeter	Exeter.
	9	George Edward	M	4	L	John I. Proulx	Marie A. Blanchett	Wisconsin	Canada.
	13	Shirley	F	2	L	Chauncey G. Blake	Jennette Page	Canada	Canada.
	16	George Lynde, 3d	M	1	L	G. L. Richardson, Jr.	Ellen C. Leach	Bennington, Vt.	Philad'phia, Pa.
	18			1	S	Alfred P. Biladeau	Ruth S. Moore	Exeter	Exeter.
	22	Daisie Grace	F	4	L	S. Walter Schurman	Sophia J. Parker	Nova Scotia	Nova Scotia.
	22	Benjamin Thompson	M	6	L	R. A. Merrill	Helen M. Eaton	Hyde Park, Ms.	Woburn, Mass.
	24	Olin Victor	M	5	L	Samuel Cote	Margaret Richards	Canada	Nova Scotia.
Nov.	4	Phillias	F	1	L	Archibald Appleyard	Goldie Oliver	England	Keene.
	8	Arthur R.	M	4	L	Charles H. Eugley	Elizabeth Phelps	East Rochester	No. And'r, Ms.
	8	Robert J.	M	3	L	Joseph Morrisette	Delia Bernier	Canada	Exeter.
	9	Dorothy F.	F	2	L	William Collier	Helen Rohr	Spencer, Mass.	Exeter.
	15	Gladys May	F	7	L	George Keller	Hazel Peacock	Exeter	Seabrook.
	16	Dorothy Esther	F	2	L	Fred Spead	Zora Turner	Newfields	Vermont.
	16	Milton Joseph	M	11	L	Adilord Morrisette	Marie Cote	Bradford	Canada.
	16	Joseph Albert	M	4	L	John Clair Cote	Mary Lena Richards	Canada	P. E. Island.
Dec.	2	Robert	M	4	L	Laurence M. Crosbie	Helen M. Mason	Seymour, Wis.	Exeter.
	5	Marjorie Louise	F	1	L	Oscar C. Bailey	Ellen E. Klof	Stratham	Sweden.
	5	Pearl B.	F	2	L	Charles H. Rand	Sadie Dowe	Exeter	Exeter.
	10	Mary Elizabeth	F	1	L	Carl W. Adams	Helen Perley	Georget'n, Ms.	Ipswich, Mass.
	14		F	2	L	Ernest Haywood	Ethel I. Johnston	Boston, Mass.	Ball'gt'n, Wash.
	23	Willard Prescott	M	5	L	Walter P. Sanborn	Sylvie A. Sanborn	Epping	East Hebron.
	28	Jessie E.	F	3	L	James Herbert Page	Florence Batchelder	No. Hampton	No. Anson, Me.
	30	John	M	1	L	John J. Scammon	Harriet Higgins	Lynn, Mass.	Whitman, Ms.

MARRIAGES Registered in the Town of Exeter, N. H., for the year ending December 31, 1919

Date	Place of Marriage.	Name and Surname of groom and bride.	Age in years.	Color of each.	Place of Birth of each.	Names of Parents.	Condition.	Name, Residence and Official Station of person by whom married.
						Henry Rowe		
Jan. 14	Exeter	Albert Rowe	27	W	Montreal, Can.	Alice Robinson	1st	Rev. V. M. Haughton,
		Annie Farnworth	32	W	Blackburn, Eng.	Robert Farnworth	1st	Exeter.
						Bettie Seward		
						Woodbury S. Polleys		
Jan. 25	Exeter	Herbert R. Polleys	23	W	Woons'ket, R.I.	Mabel Swan	1st	Rev. James W. Bixler,
		Gladys B. Poore	22	W	Raymond	Frank G. Poore	1st	Exeter.
						Georgie Davis		
						John Stefanski		
Jan. 26	Chelsea, Mass.	Martin Stefanski	34	W	Russia	Dora Mikolajcwska	2d	Rev. C. Hamel,
		Maria Radna	21	W	Russia	Wajcieck Radna	1st	Chelsea, Mass.
						Giera Radniecka		
						William L. Nichols		
Feb. 9	Exeter	Nat Forrest Nichols	31	W	Newton	Elizabeth J. Sargent	1st	Rev. Samuel H. Dana,
		Minnie B. Kimball	26	W	So. Wolfeboro	Henry H. Kimball	1st	Exeter.
						Lilla M. Brown		
						William H. Elliott		
Apr. 19	Exeter	William H. Elliott, Jr.	20	W	Brighton, Mass.	Lucie Fisher Knight	1st	Rev. James W. Bixler,
		Ethel Arnold Morse	19	W	Brockton, Mass.	Hiram Amos Morse	1st	Exeter.
						Gertrude E. Arnold		
						James C. Knipe		
Apr. 21	W. Newb'y, Ms.	James Edward Knipe	28	W	Exeter	Mary T. Kent	1st	Rev. J. J. M. Goaeti,
		Mary Irene Powers	27	W	Haverhill, Ms.	Dennis A. Powers	1st	West Newbury, Ms.
						Mary A. Moyton		

						William J. Cook		
May 6	Exeter	Walter W. S. Cook	31	W	Orange, Mass.	Jane A. McReel	1st	Rev. James W. Bixler,
		Harriet Buck Greenfield	35	W	Poland, N. Y.	Lyman Buck	2d	Exeter.
						Frances Ferris		
						Daniel Bisbee		
May 24	Exeter	George E. Bisbee	65	W	Canton, Me.	Philendia Lombard	2d	Rev. James W. Bixler,
		Annie M. Cole	51	W	Eastport, Me.	Edward Lawrence	2d	Exeter.
						Mary Polk		
						Frederick Schur		
May 31	Exeter	Hugo Schur	23	W	Webster, Mass.	Julianna	1st	Rev. V. M. Haughton,
		Vivian Davis	18	W	Biddeford, Me.	Edward Cote	2d	Exeter.
						Pauline Stackpole		
						Stanley Urbanovich		
June 4	Exeter	Zigemont Urbanovich	24	W	Poland	Sophia Presval	1st	Rev. Daniel J. Cotter,
		Mary Majdeska	24	W	Exeter	Stephen Majdeska	1st	Exeter.
						Rosella Symanska		
						Francis A. Lovejoy		
June 27	Exeter	Ralph Locke Lovejoy	22	W	Hollis	Ferma Locke	1st	Rev. Edville A. Roys,
		Mabel Louise Bailey	22	W	Kingston	George Edward Bailey	1st	Kingston.
						Sarah Elizabeth Cram		
						William D. Chesley		
June 28	Portsmouth	Frank E. Chesley	37	W	Northwood	Lizzie A. Caswell	2d	Rev. Wm. P. Stanley,
		Bessie M. Whidden	29	W	Portsmouth	Samuel J. Whidden	1st	Portsmouth.
						Sadie E. Williams		
						Michael J. Kennedy		
June 30	Exeter	William T. Kennedy	26	W	Exeter	Mary J. Flanigan	1st	Rev. Daniel J. Cotter,
		Helen E. Donahue	27	W	Marlboro, Ms.	Patrick J. Donahue	1st	Exeter.
						Catherine A. Madden		
						Charles E. Alden		
July 2	Pawtuck't, R. I.	Ernest Henry Alden	24	W	Cent'l Falls, R.I	Ang'ne B. DiLamarche	1st	Rev. J. A. Devanney,
		Mary Dixie Porter	22	W	Yarmouth, N.S	Wilbur F. Porter	1st	Pawtucket, R. I.
						Clara Kely		
						Alfred F. Higgins		
July 5	Rye	Roger P. Higgins	18	W	Exeter	Addie F. Phillips	1st	Rev. James W. Flagg,
		Ella M. Harrigan	20	W	Exeter	George L. Harrigan	1st	Rye.
						Clara B. Williams		

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Date	Place of Marriage.	Name and Surname of groom and bride.	Age in years.	Color of each.	Place of Birth of each.	Names of Parents.	Condition.	Name, Residence and Official Station of person by whom married.
July 13	Rye	John J. Scammon	26	W	Lynn, Mass.	John Scammon Mary Goodwin Dixie	1st	Rev. James W. Flagg, Rye.
		Harriet Higgins	23	W	Whitman, Mass.	Alfred F. Higgins Abbie F. Phillips	1st	
July 14	Exeter	Melford R. Billings	25	W	Harper, Tex.	Henry C. Billings Susan J. Day	1st	Rev. James W. Hervey. Exeter.
		Mabel E. Hunter	25	W	Exeter	Irvine E. Hunter Margaret Howe	1st	
July 21	Exeter	William Joseph Minnon	26	W	Lakeport	Victor J. Minnon Demorsel LaFlamme	1st	Rev. Daniel J. Cotter, Exeter.
		Margaret Gallant	26	W	Canada	John Gallant Christine Couture	1st	
July 27	Rye	William Walter Hope	23	W	Leicester, Ms.	Joseph N. Hope Rose DeMaries	1st	Rev. V. M. Haughton, Exeter.
		Ora Beatrice Naves	22	W	Gd.Manan.N.B	Samuel J. Naves Elizabeth N. Thomas	1st	
Aug. 6	Exeter	Stephen J. Pinkowski	20	W	Poland	Ignacy Pinkowski Bernice Morawski	1st	Rev. Daniel J. Cotter, Exeter.
		Margaret Majdecka	20	W	Exeter	Stephen Majdecka Rosella Szymuski	1st	
Aug. 7	Kensington	Leroy G. Hersey	31	W	Newfields	Edwin S. Hersey Flora E. Smith	1st	H. M. Prescott, J.P. Kensington.
		Mildred N. Huckins	24	W	WellsB'ch, Me.	Howard York Etta Bridges	2d	
Aug. 16	Exeter	Philias Grattan	20	W	Haverhill, Ms.	Joseph Grattan Grace Angers	1st	Rev. V. M. Haughton, Exeter.
		Marion Louise McLane	18	W	Exeter	Samuel McLane Edith Batchelder	1st	

						Damas Gallant		
Aug. 25	Exeter	Bellonie Gallant	32	W	P. E. Island	Marie Peters	2d.	Rev. Daniel J. Cotter, Exeter.
		Lucy R. Arsenault	28	W	P. E. Island	Morris Myers	3d.	
						Adeline Doucette		
						Murdock Beaton		
Aug. 26	Brookline, Ms.	George M. Beaton	59	W	P. E. Island	Mary MacPherson	2d.	Rev. Andrew Hansen, Albany.
		Katherine MacLeod	44	W	P. E. Island	John MacLeod	1st	
						Mary Gunn		
						Herman Kruger		
Sep. 1	Exeter	Adolf G. Kruger	43	W	Germany	Amelia Resko	3d.	Rev. S. W. Schurman, Exeter.
		Elizabeth Felker	56	W	Sanford, Me.	George A. Corliss	2d.	
						Lydia Buzzell		
						George J. Cote		
Sep. 4	Hampton	Carl L. Cote	24	W	Portsmouth	Mary Burnham	2d.	Rev. P. J. Scott, Hampton.
		Irene T. Dacey	21	W	Haverhill, Ms.	Patrick Dacey	1st	
						Hannah Horgan		
						Charles Senter		
Sep. 20	Exeter	Harry O. Senter	38	W	Portsmouth	Annie Laskey	2d.	Rev. Daniel J. Cotter, Exeter.
		Mary Ann Desroches	33	W	Canada	Edward Cheneverte	2d.	
						Marie Paul		
						Arthur B. Hubbard		
Sep. 21	Newbury't, Ms.	John James Hubbard	17	W	Manchester	Lorena Estella Rogers	1st	Henry W. Little, J.P. Newburyport, Ms.
		Edith Eva Cammett	22	W	Stratf'd, Ont.	John F. Cammett	1st	
						Georgina Clendenning		
						Charles A. Leach		
Sep. 22	Exeter	Charles A. Leach, Jr.	24	W	Lawrence, Ms.	Edna A. Remick	1st	Fred S. Fellowes, J.P. Exeter.
		Alice F. Morgan	29	W	Charlest'n, Ms.	Stephen Morgan	1st	
						Mary E. Small		
						Pierre Bouchard		
Oct. 2	Exeter	Fred Bouchard	47	W	Canada	Oralie Shaltry	1st	Rev. S. W. Schurman, Exeter.
		Annie Fournier	42	W	Canada	Joseph Millesseur	2d.	
						Celina Millesseur		
						Isaac Jesse Newton		
Oct. 4	Exeter	Adelbert Isaac Newton	25	W	Lenox, Mass.	Mary Cunningham	1st	Rev. S. H. Dana, Exeter.
		Beatrice Baker	27	W	Exeter	Dana W. Baker	1st	
						Fannie E. French		

MARRIAGES Registered in the Town of Exeter, N. H., for the year ending December 31, 1919.

Date	Place of Marriage.	Name and Surname of groom and bride.	Age in years.	Color of each.	Place of Birth of each.	Names of Parents.	Condition.	Name, Residence and Official Station of person by whom married.
						Arthur Page		
Oct. 6	Exeter	Albert J. Page	25	W	Exeter	Amanda Richards	1st	Rev. Daniel J. Cotter,
		Antoinette Morey	24	W	Canada	Frank Morey	1st	Exeter.
						Elvina Vadaboncour		
						Dennis Callahan		
Oct. 6	Exeter	Matthew J. Callahan	26	W	Exeter	Nora Burke	1st	Rev. Daniel J. Cotter,
		Lucina Ada Peltier	23	W	Canada	Lazare Peltier	1st	Exeter.
						Grace Gagne		
						Elmer Hutchins		
Oct. 6	Exeter	Ralph Hutchins	23	W	NewCastle	Mary Simpson	1st	Rev. Daniel J. Cotter,
		Rose Gallant	22	W	Canada	John Gallant	1st	Exeter.
						Christine Coture		
						Charles F. Selby		
Oct. 9	Newton	Oliver F. Selby	27	W	Attleboro, Ms.	Sarah Branaghan	1st	Hugh C. Burr, J. P.,
		Hazel D. F. Brown	20	W	Hampton	Frederick H. Brown	1st	Haverhill, Ms.
						Mary Lizzie Brown		
						Levi M. Knight		
Oct. 12	Exeter	C. Henry Knight	67	W	Hampton Falls	Mary W. Ellis	2d	Rev. James W. Hervey,
		Sarah Helen Leach	62	W	Newport	Eleazer C. Converse	2d	Exeter.
						Amanda M. Tibbetts		
						Frank Bitomski		
Oct. 23	Exeter	Harry Bitomski	19	W	Exeter	Bertha Mary Heidke	1st	Rev. V. M. Haughton,
		Mary Morrill	18	W	Newbury't, Ms.	John Morrill	1st	Exeter.
						Agnes McIntyre		
						Joseph O. Gagnon		
Oct. 28	Exeter	Malcolm William Gagnon	24	W	Exeter	Mary Ellen Boardman	1st	Rev. Daniel J. Cotter,
		Elvena Mary Tardiff	22	W	Newmarket	Joseph Tardiff	1st	Exeter.
						Emma Trambley		

						Andrew Klemarzcyk		
Nov.22.	Exeter	Joseph Klemarczyk	26	W	Poland	Frances Sobinski	1st	Rev. Daniel J. Cotter,
		Bernice Szostakiewicz	18	W	Exeter	Stephen Szostakiewicz	1st	Exeter.
						Cecelia Suska		
						Fred A. Cammett		
Nov.22	Exeter	Ralph A. Cammett	25	W	Newmarket	Anna Maud Colbath	1st	Rev. Jas. W. Hervey,
		Mildred Fifield	25	W	Exeter	Charles F. Fifield	1st	Exeter.
						Mary Green		
						Wilfred Talbott		
Nov.27	Hooksett	Wilfred Talbott	26	W	Canada	Matilda Fournier	1st	Rev. L. Robichaud,
		Mary L. Grandmont	25	W	Hooksett	Jean B. Grandmont	1st	Hooksett.
						Delia Martel		
						Charles H. Clark		
Dec. 4	Christobal, C.Z.	Horace Little Clark	31	W	Andover, Mass.	Nellie Little	1st	Rev. Harry Owen,
		Florence Baker	28	W	Exeter	Dana W. Baker	1st	Christobal, C. Z.
						Fannie E. French		
						Patrick McLaughlin		
Dec. 4	Exeter	Frank McLaughlin	76	W	Newport, R. I.	Margaret Whitney	1st	Rev. J. P. Scott,
		Lydia McFarland	75	W	Gardiner, Me.	George Parker	2d	Hampton.
						Elizabeth		
						John E. Lary		
Dec. 8	Exeter	John Elwyn Lary	28	W	Rochester	Addie L. Merrow	2d	Rev. J. E. Lary,
		Mary L. Page	21	W	Campton	George A. Page	1st	Exeter.
						Lillian Watters		
						Stephen Cammett		
Dec. 23	Exeter	Edwin H. Cammett	63	W	Amesbury, Ms.	Mary Healey	2d	Rev. John E. Lary,
		Annie Berry	28	W	Stoneham, Ms.	Albert Hacking	2d	Exeter.
						Alice Ward		
						James O. Berry		
Dec. 24	Exeter	Edmund Dresser Berry	21	W	Sanford, Me.	Nellie M. Littlefield	1st	Rev. V. M. Haughton,
		Caroline Stella Goodman	29	W	S. Grovel'd, Ms.	William Dwyer	2d	Exeter.
						Sarah E. Boutlier		

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Date		Name and surname of Deceased.	Age. Years.	Months.	Days.	Place of Birth.	Male or Female.	Color.	Single, Married or Widowed.	Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.
Jan.	1	David Leach	71		13	Montgom'y,N.W	M	W	M	James Leach	
	5	Evelyn McAlpine	35	2	8	Dover	F	W	M	Andrew K. Hornell	Roxana Hanson
	13	Albert Tefft Severance	76	3	27	Brewer, Me.	M	W	M	Thomas Severance	
	15	Linda L. Swain	44	2	12	Ipswich, Mass.	F	W	M	Charles C. Lavalette	Charlotte E. Pickard.
	19	Flora B. Stanley	28	6	26	Auburn, Me.	F	W	M	Percy H. Dunn	Adah B. Mudgett
	19	Rita Lavigne			9	Exeter	F	W	S	Walter Lavigne	Agnes Graney.
	20	——— Stanley			2	Exeter	M	W	S	James C. Stanley	Flora B. Dunn.
	22	Elizabeth E. Murch	62	8	22	Newmarket	F	W	M	Farnum Willey	
	26	Agnes Frazer	57	6	14	Lawrence,Mass.	F	W		Breen	
Feb.	5	Charles Albert Taylor	67	10	23	Exeter	M	W	M	Charles G. Taylor	Abbie Lane.
	15	Alice Mary Knipe	24	6	21	Exeter	F	W	S	James C. Knipe	Mary T. Kent.
	22	Matthew Coyle	83	11	24	Ireland	M	W	W	Nicholas Coyle	
	22	Daniel G. Bennett	73	5	17	Exeter	M	W	W	Nathaniel Bennett	Hannah Taylor.
	22	Fred W. Sanborn	46	3	5	Exeter	M	W	M	Daniel Sanborn	Martha A. Hilton
	24	Sarah R. Towle	94	9	20	Deerfield	F	W	W	Rundlett	Sally Towle.
	26	Mary E. Smith	44		20	Candia	F	W	M	John E. Marden	Marietta Bly.
	27	Richard B. Belden	17	2	4	Hartford, Conn	M	W	S	Edward W. Belden	Emma D. Barr.
Mar.	1	Bertha M. Blaisdell	64	4	7	Barnstead	F	W	W	Ebenezer Kenniston	Elizabeth Haines.
	2	Sophia Banker		10	29	Malden, Mass.	F	W	S	Samuel Banker	Esther Schona.
	3	Janet Stuckey		4	2	Exeter	F	W	S	H. S. Stuckey	Helen H. Potter
	4	Elizabeth L. Knapp	75			Philadelphia,Pa	F	W	D		
	8	Rachel A. Wentworth	83	8	24	Fredericton,NB	F	W	W	William Griffith	Frances Sanders.
	8	Carroll I. Stackpole	7	9	1	Exeter	M	W	S	Charles L. Stackpole	Ella M. Savage.
	13	C. Elizabeth Willey	64	2	11	Newfields	F	W	W	Nathan Leavitt	Martha E. Badger
	20	Louis P. Novell	34	9	11	Exeter	M	W	M	Louis P. Novell	Catherine Griffin.

Mar.	24	Stephen E. Swain	69	5	25	Epping	M	W	M	Alfred Swain	Belinda White.
	24	Myra E. Dame	51	11	22	Nottingham	F	W	M	David D. Bean	Jane E. Smith.
	25	——— Winters	..	..	..	Exeter	M	W	S	Asa W. Winters	Grace B. Day.
	26	Nicholas Emery Soule	93	9	13	Exeter	M	W	M	Gideon L. Soule	Elizabeth P. Emery.
	29	Cedelia A. Merrill	74	2	4	Lebanon, Me.	F	W	M	Benjamin Fernald	Caroline E. Young.
	31	Esther G. Jacob	48	10	3	Conway	F	W	M	Samuel Henderson	Hannah J. Harriman.
Apr.	1	Achsah M. Merrill	90	11	17	Newb'yp't, Me.	F	W	W	James Blood	Achsah Barton.
	1	Albert S. Wetherell	67	5	26	Norridge'k, Me.	M	W	M	Samuel B. Wetherell	Althea Keen.
	5	Caroline F. Gilman	87	11	15	Exeter	F	W	W	F. Burley Chapman	Elizabeth Chapman.
	5	Mary J. Heaphy	77	11	3	Tyrone, Ire.	F	W	W	James Earley	Catherine Dougherty.
	6	James H. Batchelder	62	8	5	Exeter	M	W	M	Nathaniel I. Batchelder	Elizabeth Tuttle.
	7	Adelaide M. Young	76	5	29	Exeter	F	W	W	Charles H. Robinson	Annie M. Colcord.
	12	Samuel McLane	44	..	25	Exeter	M	W	M	William McLane	Elizabeth Barlow.
	14	James B. Leavitt	..	2	14	Exeter	M	W	S	George H. Leavitt	Clara H. Rock.
	19	Frank A. Garland	49	10	18	Exeter	M	W	M	Frank Garland	Sarah Towle.
	25	Maud J. Drinkwater	48	11	18	Milford, Mass.	F	W	M	B. F. Bergh	Annie M. James.
May	1	——— Rand	..	..	..	Exeter	M	W	S	Harvey C. Rand	Jennie F. Babb.
	3	Albert L. DeMeritte	40	..	1	Exeter	M	W	M	Charles J. DeMeritte	Mary L. Gooch.
	6	Ernest Gilman Marble	42	7	17	Methuen, Mass	M	W	M	William C. Marble	Sarah E. Barker.
	7	——— Rohr	..	..	..	Exeter	M	W	S	Robert C. Rohr	Augusta Bolter.
	8	Burton Crum	..	..	2	Exeter	M	B	S	Frank Crum	Mary Burns.
	13	Ellen P. Walton	82	5	9	Salisbury, Ms.	F	W	W	Stephen M. Towle	Sarah Dole.
	22	Charles C. Flagg	72	2	10	Exeter	M	W	S	Samuel C. Flagg	Lucy I. Burke.
	23	Katherine Frances Sullos	4	11	19	Exeter	F	W	S	John A. Sullos	Jennie E. Bessey.
June	7	Sarah Ann Rundlett	81	11	2	Exeter	F	W	W	Shadrach Drew	Sarah Batchelder.
	12	Josephine Bird	78	2	13	Germany	F	W	M	Karl Schmechel	Bridget Gburczyk.
	12	Elizabeth M. Mace	64	3	4	Hampton	F	W	S	Joseph Mace	Eliza Garland.
	14	Forrest W. Murphy	14	6	29	Exeter	M	W	S	William H. Murphy	Lula M. Woodward.
	15	——— Dining	..	..	..	Exeter	F	W	S	W. L. Dining	Myrtle H. Rokes.
	18	Sarah J. Perley	72	10	4	Canaan	F	W	W	William Harris	Sarah Pierce.
	21	Frank H. Safford	73	8	10	Exeter	M	W	S	Joseph C. Safford	Frances Bott.
	23	Catherine M. Hurley	61	5	28	Ireland	F	W	S	Patrick Hurley	Mary Foley.
	23	Louis Desroches	30	1	12	Canada	M	W	M	Onesime Desroches	Arthence Sarasin.
July	2	Robert E. Rude	76	4	25	New Brunswick	M	W	W	William A. Rude	Mary Carter.
	7	Carl A. Hendrickson	26	5	22	Quincy, Mass.	M	W	M	Victor Hendrickson	Anna M———.

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July	15	Rachel H. Tuttle	79	1	..	Kars, N. B.	F	W	M	Henry Hatfield	Sarah Fairweather.
	30	——— Sargent	..	..	1	Exeter	F	W	S	Frank H. Sargent	Elizabeth P. Brown.
Aug.	4	Mary Louise Hoyt	..	..	2	Exeter	F	W	S	John H Hoyt	Mabel L. Leach.
	6	Arthur G. Thompson	1	3	1	Exeter	M	W	S	Arthur D. Thompson	Pauline A. Brunn.
	17	Chester W. Thyng	25	..	20	Brentwood	M	W	M	Warren Thyng	Euleta Page.
	20	Sofia Striga	5	..	..	Newmarket	F	W	S	Jacob Striga	Stafonia Chalks.
	23	Sarah F. Goodwin	68	4	15	Haverhill, Ms.	F	W	W	Thomas W. Brown	Martha McKinley.
	24	Lillian B. Durell	39	10	9	Newmarket	F	W	M	Harrison Burley	Fannie Conner.
	25	Harold A. Shaw, Jr.	5	6	3	Exeter	M	W	S	Harold A. Shaw	Annie J. Twombly.
	31	Alec Plant	..	..	..	Exeter	M	W	S	Oliver Plant	Mary Denis.
Sept.	7	Edward M. Laughton	50	4	13	W. Lubec, Me.	M	W	W	John A. Laughlin	Pamelia M. Huckins.
	7	Helen G. Moulton	72	..	5	Exeter	F	W	W	Charles C. Smith	Mary W. Moulton.
	13	Windolyn G. Brehm	51	7	3	Johnstown, Pa.	M	W	S	.....	.....
	14	Jeremiah Carter	85	9	27	Exeter	M	W	W	Gideon Carter	Sarah Lunt.
	24	Ellora Frances Smith	60	8	..	So.Berwick,Me.	F	W	M	Edwin L. Stackpole	Mary J. Welch.
	28	Harold F. Brown	26	5	28	Milford, Mass.	M	W	S	William H. Brown	Mary Ina Lowe.
	28	Catherine Shannon	56	..	..	Ireland	F	W	S	Henry Shannon	Mary McGoldric.
	30	Leighton A. Lord	4	11	22	Exeter	M	W	S	Mortimer E. Lord	Amelia Dawson.
Oct.	3	William H. Belknap	83	6	13	Exeter	M	W	M	.....	.....
	10	Edith P. Hewitt	50	..	5	Exeter	F	W	M	Charles H. Bickford	Ellen A. Peavey.
	16	Sarah S. Chase	60	7	7	Kensington	F	W	S	George A. Chase	Susan Wadleigh.
	25	Mary F. Folsom	85	11	19	Newport, Me.	F	W	W	John Caverly	Elizabeth Neal.
	27	Lydia A. Brewster	61	8	20	Wolfeboro	F	W	S	Charles W. H. Brewster	Lydia A. Chamberlain.
Nov.	25	Gladys F. Stilson	..	2	7	Brentwood	F	W	S	William S. Stilson	Fanny L. Twombly.
	28	Silas H. Dame	81	7	21	Rochester	M	W	W	Joseph Dame	Lydia Roberts.

Nov.	28	James A. Harvey	71	4	3	.....	M	W	W	Charles H. Harvey	Nancy S. Fernald.
	29	Nancy M. Nudd	55	11	2	Canterbury	F	W	W	Elias Pickard	——— Glines.
Dec.	1	Phelenece Beaulieu	67	..	..	Canada	F	W	M	D. Bernier	Florence Bernier.
	2	John Smart	72	7	18	Newmarket	M	W	S	Robert Smart	Hannah Wiggin.
	14	Joseph Tardiff	51	..	17	Canada	M	W	M	Noel Tardiff	Delphine LaCharity.
	16	Hattie E. Carlisle	40	11	21	Bucksport, Me.	F	W	M	Henry W. Folsom	Ellen M. Folsom.
	19	William H. Hamilton	87	1	8	Hartford, Conn.	M	W	W	.....	.....
	21	Harriet W. Cilley	77	4	12	Kensington	F	W	M	Ebenezer Ramsdell	Levina Smith.
	29	Randolph E. Malone	68	..	..	.....	M	W	M	Samuel Malone	Liziata Nickerson.
	30	Abbie S. Young	84	5	2	Exeter	F	W	M	Nathaniel Swasey	Abigail C. Peavey.